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SLUMP IN DOLLAR

ROOSEVELT STILL OPPOSED TO STABILISATION

BACK TO OLD PARITY

London, July 20. Apprehensive of the effect of the "deliberate" devaluation of the American dollar upon the British tariff schedule, Conservative members of the House of Commons have tabled a resolution, urging the Government to give a further measure of safeguard where the existing benefits may be eliminated by exchange differences.

The American dollar slumped heavily to-day and reached its old parity level with the pound for the first time since Britain abandoned the gold standard.

The immediate response to this situation was speculation in London Conference circles and city circles regarding the possibility of the United States now consenting to the stabilisation of the dollar in relation to sterling.

NQ STABILISATION.

A message from Washington, however, suggests that this is very unlikely.

Despite the drop of the dollar to below its old parity, it is believed in well-informed circles in Washington that President Roosevelt still considers that any stabilisation of the dollar at present would check the rise in prices in the United States.

The weakness of the dollar is attributed in New York largely to speculation in a thin market and to forward purchases of foreign currencies by American importers who are anxious to protect themselves from a further slump in American currency.

TREASURY OFFER.

Meanwhile, as a sequel to the United States going off the gold standard, the British Treasury has made an offer to exchange U.S.\$130,000,000 of 20-year 5½ per cent. gold bonds, outstanding from the loan of \$250,000,000 raised by the British Government in the United States in 1917, on the basis of \$260 of 2½ per cent. bonds, repayable in London on February 1, 1937, for every thousand dollars' worth of gold bonds. If the offer is fully accepted, the result will be an increase in the principal from \$28,000,000 to \$35,000,000 but at the same time to reduce the interest from \$1,540,000 to \$886,000,000.—Reuter.

POST FORCED TO LAND

BUT TAKES OFF AGAIN QUICKLY

Moscow, July 19. Wiley Post has again run into unfavourable weather and he will be compelled to land to-day at Rukhlovo, some seven hundred miles from Habarovsk, for which he was destined.

He decided to set off again almost immediately, but no news of his arrival has yet been received. This airman cannot afford to lose very much more time if he is to succeed in his attack on the record.

To enable him to achieve his ambition, he should take off from Habarovsk for Fairbanks, Alaska, to-morrow at dawn.—Reuter.

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AIR DEFENCE ADOPTS HOME MADE OIL

London, July 19. The Home Defence Air Squadron is flying solely on oil extracted from British coal, stated Sir Philip Sassoon in the House of Commons to-day.—British Wire-

TROTSKY AGAIN IN ILL-HEALTH

Permission to Live On Riviera

Paris, July 19. The French Government have authorised M. Leon Trotsky, the man without a country, to reside in the South of France, including Corsica, for reasons of health.—Reuter.

RECOVERY DICTATOR

PLANS APPROVED BY CABINET

NEW INDUSTRIAL CODES IN U.S.

Washington, July 19. The Industrial Advisory Board composed of members of the Cabinet have formally endorsed the plans of Brig-General Johnson, the Administrator of President Roosevelt's Recovery Act.

The "Recovery Dictator" has prepared a campaign for bringing all industry and business quickly into voluntary agreements for wage raising and the limitation of hours.

Since the textile code was approved, there has been a general acceleration of the programme and the oil, coal, apparel and building industries submitted their codes to President Roosevelt in order to obtain the special privileges that the Government can grant to those who put their business under Federal supervision.

CONTRACTORS' CODE.

Building contractors announced that their code provides for an immediate increase in employment as well as an increase in wages.

Gen. Hugh Johnson, director of the industrial recovery programme, does not believe that special codes will be necessary for the woolen and silk textile divisions. They could operate satisfactorily under the code submitted by the cotton textile group. A few additional clauses may have to be added to suit the others but he believed this would be acceptable.

QUESTION FOR OIL INDUSTRY.

It was revealed that the oil industry faces a particularly difficult problem in its programme to reduce production. While production will be reduced under the recovery system, the East Texas field was reported in a position where it was compelled to reduce to a greater degree than others.

Geologists reported that the East Texas field, which has been flowing at a rate of about 1,000,000 barrels daily, will cease to flow entirely in a year. After that, it will have to be pumped.

In order to keep the field flowing and avoid the expense of installing pumps, producers in that area are planning to reduce the flow at least one half.

This group, as in the case of other industries, will conform to Federal supervision designed to keep production at a level with domestic needs and thus enhance the price.—Reuter.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR RUBBER

Probable Anglo-Dutch Co-operation

The Hague, July 19. Dr. Colljn, the Prime Minister, accompanied by Dr. Waals, the head of the Economic Section of the Dutch Colonial Office, have left for London.

It is believed that Dr. Waals will discuss with British experts the question of co-operation between the Dutch and British Government regarding rubber restrictions.

A SEVERE BREAK

ACTION TO CORRECT SPECULATION

LEADS TO RUSH

New York, July 19. A deluge of selling hit the New York Stock Exchange to-day, precipitating crashes in values.

The wheat market was similarly badly hit, plunging perpendicularly and closing weak.

Stocks were swept overboard in the selling of the recently buoyant "wet" or "alcoholic" issues, which at one time suffered losses varying from seven to twenty-five points.

The rush of selling orders carried the rest of the market with it, but to a lesser extent, the prices of stocks in other groups dropping from two to seven points.

The total turnover for the day was 7,463,000 shares, the largest since May, 1930.

The break is attributed in the first place to reports that the leading bankers are considering the taking of action to restrict loans for speculative purposes, and secondly, to the action of the brokers in raising the marginal requirements from an average of twenty-five per cent. to sixty per cent.

The action of the brokers led to a rush by the speculators who are without sufficient cash to meet the margins.—Reuter.

COMMUNISM IN GERMANY

SHOOTING AFFAIR AT RINTELN

Berlin, July 19.

Communist activity throughout the country is reported by the police, who state that their investigations have led to the discovery of rifles and ammunition in a deserted mine in Thuringia, and bombs and explosives in the neighbourhood of Dresden.

A number of arrests have been made, including twenty-two at Rinteln, in Hanover, as a sequel to an exchange of shots, in which a policeman and several Communists were severely wounded.—Reuter.

U.S. BUSINESS MAGNATE SHOT BY KIDNAPPERS

Resistance Results in Serious Wounds

Philadelphia, July 19.

Frank A. McClatchy, brother and business partner of John McClatchy, the Millionaire builder and real estate agent, has been seriously injured.

He was shot whilst resisting two kidnappers, and is now in hospital in a grave condition.—Reuter.

CLYDE GETS BIG ORDERS

LARGE CONTRACTS UNDER WAY

London, July 19.

Contracts for ships and machinery, placed recently with Clyde shipbuilding and engineering firms amount to about £45,000,000 and work is already in progress, stated Captain Wallace, Civil Lord of the Admiralty, in the Commons to-day.



The Duke of Connaught, who yesterday dedicated the Masonic Peace Memorial.

MASONIC PEACE MEMORIAL

FINE BUILDING DEDICATED

CEREMONY IN LONDON

London, July 19. The magnificent new headquarters of English freemasonry was opened to-day by the Duke of Connaught, the Grand Master, in the presence of six thousand brethren from all parts of the world.

The building was erected as the Masonic Peace Memorial and it cost a million pounds to build. It contains seventeen lodge rooms.

The building dedicated by the Duke is to be the new central home for the craft. It is built in Queen Street, London.

The monument brought to completion by to-day's ceremony was initiated in 1919, the day before the signature of the Treaty of Versailles.

It was decided that £1,000,000 should be raised for the building and endowment of the structure and this has been obtained by voluntary subscription. The foundation stone was laid by the Duke of Connaught six years ago.

KING'S MESSAGE.

In the course of his reply to a telegram of loyalty, the King expressed the hope that the temple "may stand for ever as a memorial to that spirit of comradeship which united Freemasons to-day in remembering that their brethren who made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War should never be forgotten." The Grand Master dedicated the building, "To Freemasonry, to virtue and to universal benevolence."—British Wireless.

LEAGUE ASSEMBLY MEETING

NOW POSTPONED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 25

London, July 19.

The annual meeting of the League Assembly due to begin on September 4, has been postponed until September 25. The Secretariat decided on this step after consultations with the Governments partly because of the continuation of the Economic Conference until July 27 and partly to give time for the development of negotiations upon which the President of the Disarmament Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson, is engaged.

The League Council will meet on

SILVER PACT STILL IN MAKING

No Trans-Atlantic Air Service Yet

STATEMENT BY SIR PHILIP SASSOON

London, July 19.

The Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Air, Sir Philip Sassoon, stated in the House of Commons that representatives of the Governments in the United Kingdom, Canada and Newfoundland had been conferring on certain general questions affecting the possible future organisation of air services to and from Newfoundland.

He was not in a position to give any more detailed information at this stage but to prevent misunderstanding he had better perhaps emphasize that no concrete scheme for a trans-Atlantic service was at present under discussion.—British Wireless.

SPEED-BOAT DASH IN CHANNEL

"WHITE CLOUD" SETS A RECORD

London, July 19.

Mr. Angus Miller, an ex-naval officer, made a double crossing of the Channel from Dover to-day in his speedboat "White Cloud" in one hour and forty-five seconds, thus breaking the record of sixty-five minutes set up by Kaye Don.—British Wireless.

DAMAGED SNAPS

WARNING TO OUTPORT PHOTOGRAPHERS

A number of entries in the Telegraph Amateur Photographic Competition received from the Outports, have been badly damaged in the post owing to the fact that they have been enclosed in thin envelopes. Entries sent by mail should be well protected by cardboard. This advice should also be taken in the case of local entries submitted by post.

AIR ARMADA IN NEW YORK

GIVEN WONDERFUL WELCOME

New York, July 19.

General Balbo's air squadron arrived from Chicago to-day and the crew were given a wonderful welcome, passing through wildly cheering crowds.—Reuter.

KING AND QUEEN AT OLYMPIA

INSPECT ADVERTISING EXHIBITION

London, July 19.

The King and Queen visited Olympia to-day and made a tour of all the principal features of the advertising and marketing exhibition in which the press, printing, advertising, and many other leading industries have collaborated.—British Wireless.

SIR F. X. LEMIEUX.

Death Of Quebec's Chief Justice.

Quebec, July 18.

The death is announced to-day of the Hon. Sir Francis Xavier Lemieux, at the age of 82. Sir Francis, who was created a Knight in 1914, had been Chief Justice of the Superior Court, Quebec, since 1911. He was made Advocate in 1912 and Puisne Judge in 1917.

He leaves six sons and six daughters.—Our Own Correspondent.

DUTCH CAMPAIGN AGAINST NAZIS

Leader Expelled From Country

The Hague, July 19.

All German Nazi organisations in Holland have been dissolved on orders from the Ministry of Justice.

The principal Nazi leader, Herr Tyffens, who has been expelled from the country, has established his headquarters at Aix-la-Chapelle, on the other side of the border.—Reuter.

ANOTHER NEAR RIOT

WILD CROWD AT BASEBALL

SITUATION SAVED BY POLICE

New York, July 19.

A reversed decision precipitated a near riot in the first game of a double header between Pittsburgh and New York Giants in the National Baseball League to-day.

The game was delayed for a quarter of an hour whilst 22,000 spectators milled around the stands and the players angrily argued with the umpires.

Happily there were no injuries and no arrests necessary due to the prompt intervention of the Police.

The double header was of great importance, as the New York Giants and Pittsburgh are occupying first and second positions respectively in the National League.

Pittsburgh won the match featured by the disturbance, scoring four runs to the Giants' single. In this game the Giants were guilty of two errors, and made eight hits to the winners' nine.

In the second game, New York scored seven times to Pittsburgh's three and were errorless. Pittsburgh, however, committed three errors and made a dozen hits as compared with ten by the Giants.—Reuter.

LITHUANIA IN MOURNING

ATLANTIC FLYERS BROUGHT HOME

Kovno, July 19.

Fifty thousand people, including members of the Cabinet and Diplomats, stood in mourning at the Aerodrome here to-day when the bodies of the trans-Atlantic Lithuanian flyers, Darius and Girenas were landed.

Both of the intrepid aviators, who gave their lives in the cause of aviation, have been posthumously awarded a number of decorations.—Reuter.

ANGLO-SOVIET TRADE AGREEMENT

COMMITTEE CONSIDERING QUESTION

London, July 19.

The Committee dealing with the question of the balance of trade between Great Britain and Soviet Russia in connection with negotiations for a new trade agreement, held a further meeting at the Board of Trade.

The coffee and sugar committees adjourned without positive results.

BRIGHTER OUTLOOK

UNANIMOUS ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION

ONUS UPON BIG EIGHT

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, July 19. Earlier reports that efforts to achieve a silver agreement have entirely failed do not correctly represent the position.

The Big Eight, the silver producing countries and the principal holding countries have almost reached an agreement, United States and Chinese officials informed the United Press.

A meeting is being held at ten o'clock to-morrow morning (Thursday) in an attempt to consolidate the progress already made. Canada is now apparently the stumbling block to an agreement, with Mexico a close second.

CANADA'S VIEW. They are now desirous to absorb what others consider to be adequate shares of their surplus production.

Meanwhile, the Silver Sub-Committee, comprising the Big Eight, and Britain, Holland, Italy and Japan, met to-day and unanimously agreed to the much and often revised draft of the general silver resolution, the text of which is as follows:

RECOMMENDATIONS.

"Be it resolved to recommend to all the governments that are parties to the conference,

(1) that an agreement be sought between the chief silver producing countries and those countries which are the largest holders or users of silver, with a view to mitigating the fluctuations in the price of silver and that other nations not parties to such an agreement should refrain from measures which could appreciably affect the silver market.

(2) that the Governments parties to this conference shall refrain from new legislative measures which would involve the further debasement of their silver coinage below the fineness of 800-1000.

(3) that they shall substitute silver coins for low value paper currency insofar as the budgetary and the local conditions of each country will permit.

EXCEPTIONS.

(4) that all the provisions of this resolution are subject to the following exceptions and limitations:—The requirements of such provisions shall lapse on April 1st 1934 if the agreement recommended in (1) does not come into force by the date and in no case shall extend beyond January 1st, 1938. Governments may take any action relative to their silver coinage they may deem necessary to prevent the flight or the destruction of their silver coinage by reason of a rise in the bullion price of the silver content of their coin above the nominal or parity value of such silver coins.

DESPERATE STRUGGLE.

Efforts to reach international agreements regarding coffee and sugar have collapsed, while the wheat and silver countries have had to struggle desperately to save something from the Conference wreckage.

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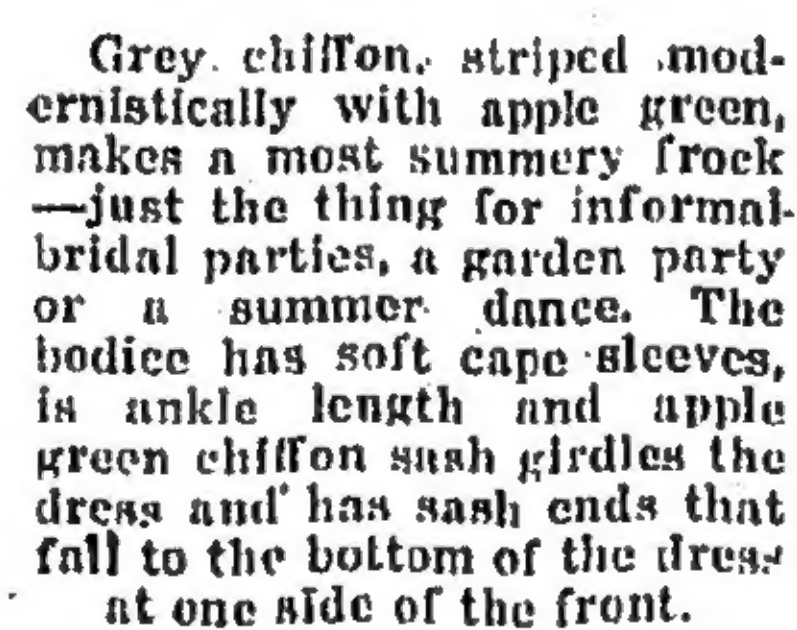
Mr. A. C. Frankland, Secretary to the Conference, stated that the Committee had not yet reached a decision on the question of the balance of trade between Great Britain and Soviet Russia in connection with negotiations for a new trade agreement.



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CHAPTER XXXVII

Had she really heard Arthur Mackenzie say those words or was she dreaming? Monnie, facing her fingers in her lap, gave him a direct, almost childlike look.

"I—I don't understand," she faltered. "You're going back to New York. But Miss Anstice and I plan, as you know, to start for Paris next week."

"I know," he said firmly. "I know all that." There was eagerness in his tone. "You can see Paris any time. Next month—next year—with me. Yes, Monnie, I am asking you to marry me."

The colour flared up in her cheeks. She was tense. "But that's impossible. I told you—"

He interrupted her with a sweeping gesture. "I know. You told me about the young man back home whom you swore to love for ever. Well, what's happened is this, as I see it. Either he's forgotten about you—which I doubt, as I scarcely think you would have cared for a fool—or he's got entangled with someone else. Either way he's lost his chance. Monnie, I'm in love with you. Does that sound absurd from me—with all you know about me?"

There must have been something tall-tale about her expression for Mackenzie's smile was grim.

"I know you've heard plenty. Gossip aboard ship. I won't attempt to deny any of it. I've not been an angel. You must know that. Women—well, we won't go into that. It's all past. I have never asked a woman to marry me before, believe that. There's something about you, Monnie," he told her, his voice softening, "that makes me want to do things for you—show you the bright places of the earth."

"That's kind," she murmured, flashing him a smile.

"It's not," he assured her. "Pure selfishness, that's what it is. I want to see your eyes shine like a

child seeing its first Christmas tree."

"Am I so naïve?" asked Monnie, struck by this picture of herself.

He threw out his hands. "It's not that exactly. You're—oh, so fresh and unspoiled. I never knew there was anyone like you in the world. You give me back some touch of my youth—some faith I'd lost. D'you know," he went on in a slightly altered tone, "d'you know what Cornish Faucet said to me when first she saw you? On the deck that first day. Do you remember?"

"I remember," said Monnie, thinking of Cornish's cynical eyes. "She said, 'who's the little baggage? Paying excess on her this time?'"

Monnie's colour was high, her voice angry. "How could she?"

He shrugged. "She knew me—my reputation. She assumed there was something between us, but I soon put her straight on that. I knew then that what I felt for you was different because when she said that I wanted to knock her down—"

He fell into an instant's musing. "What do you say, Monnie?" he asked with a boy's eagerness.

She gave him a level glance. "I can't answer you now," she told him. "I must have time to think."

"I'm not very patient, you know," he reminded her, smiling, assured. "I'm used to putting things through quickly."

She had a glimpse for an instant of what her life would be if she put her hand in his. Smooth sailing, always. He would be ruthless. She would have what she wanted materially but her very thoughts would be owned by him. Did she want that? She shivered.

"Cold?"

She shook her head.

"You're not cutting a bit."

"Too excited, I guess," she said.

"You've—taken me off my feet."

He laughed, delightedly. "Such a baby!"

"And you leave to-morrow," she mused, staring beyond him, not really seeing the soft pale colours of the room, the mirrors reflecting the images of well dressed, soft voiced people. This was his life, she thought. A succession of smooth-paced events, money paying the way for all manner of luxury, luxury without ostentation.

Arthur Mackenzie's wife would be a sort of queen in her own right. Doors would open for her. The ways would be made pleasant. The temptation came to her to surrender. It would all be so easy. No more money worries, no more snubs. She could do so

much for all of them at home. Her mother, Kay, the others. Why did she hesitate?

"I must," she murmured, "have a little time. To think things over."

"Ah, time!" He threw out one strong brown hand in an impatient gesture. "We've known each other—how long is it? Two weeks? Three? Enough, anyway. Don't let's waste the precious minutes, Monnie. Life is so short."

But she was stubborn, for once. She was not so pliable in this man's hands as she might once have been.

"I can't tell you now," she persisted. "Later."

"Then you won't go back with me?" His face darkened. "We could be married by special licence to-morrow. Never mind how—I can arrange it. You could sail with me and in January when all this business of the loan is finished

we could come back to Paris together. I've wanted to show you Paris. Remember I said that from the start?"

"I remember!" Amber eyes flashed at him.

"Monnie, you darling! Don't disappoint me now."

She trembled, feeling this man's power, his attraction. "Give me until morning," she pleaded at last, in answer to his importunities. "Telephone me at nine."

"The boat train," he reminded her, "leaves at 11. That makes it short." But his eyes were glowing as with triumph. He felt himself master of the situation. "You can throw a few things into a dressing case, can't you?—And Miss Corey can send your trunk later."

The girl begged to be taken back to her hotel early, for by this time she was actually almost ill with

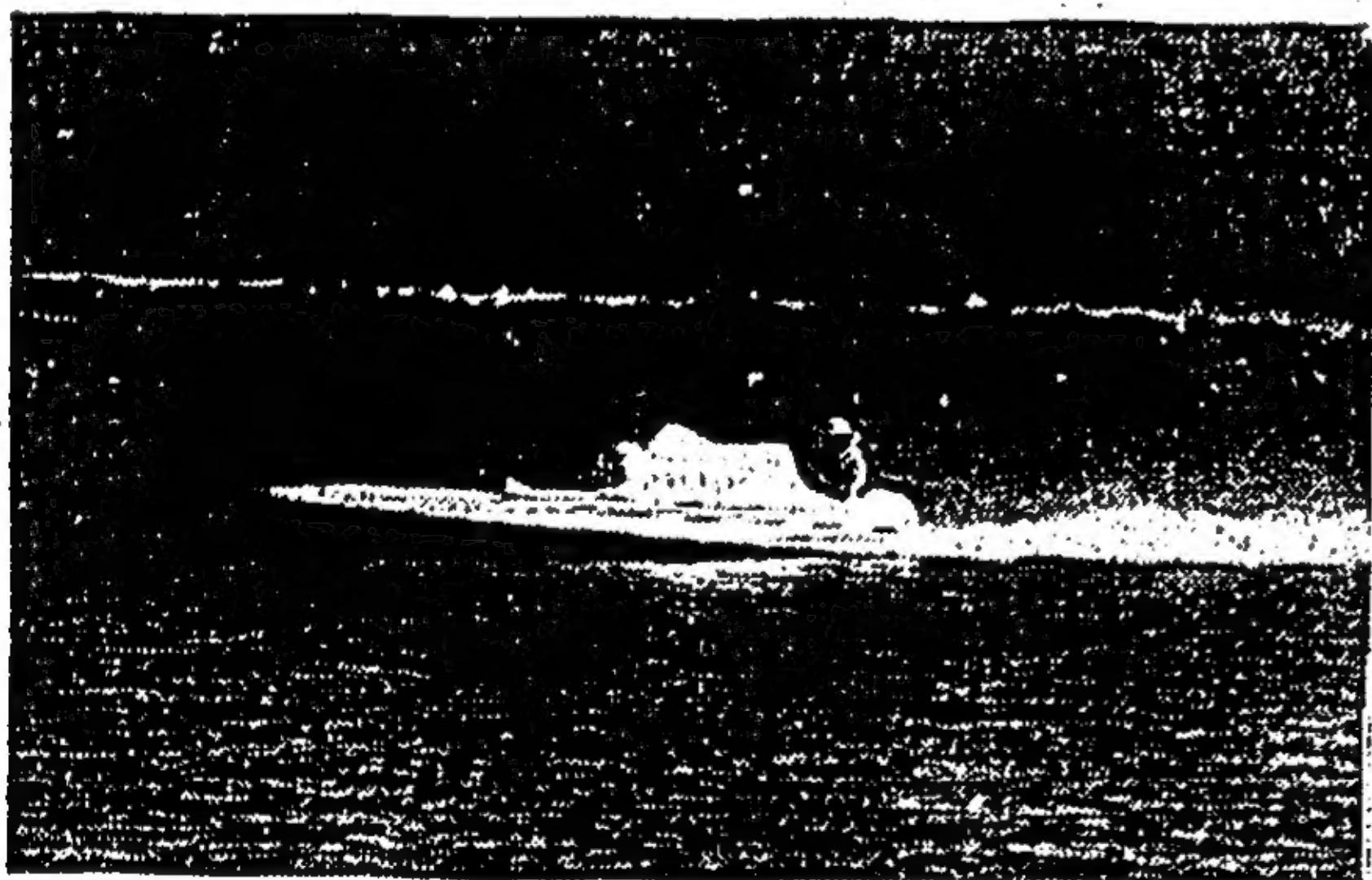
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Colonel John C. Beaumont, successor to the late Colonel Fred D. Kilgore as head of the Fourth Marines, arrived in Shanghai last week on the s.s. President Jefferson. He was welcomed at the Bund foreshore by a Guard of Honour, while Lieutenant-Colonel E. P. Moses, active commander of the Marines, had previously gone to the boat to greet him. Above on the left is shown a "close up" of the new military chief who was dressed in civilian attire, while, at the right, Colonel Beaumont is shown as he reviewed the Guard of Honour, composed of the First Battalion of the Marines. With Colonel Beaumont in the review was Major John Doxey commanding officer of the First Battalion.



VOLUNTEER DINNER: "H" Company, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, comprised entirely of Jewish members, held a successful dinner in the Jewish Club recently at which Col. N. W. B. Thoms was the guest of honour. Group taken during the evening's proceedings.



Prince Carlo Maurizio Ruspoli, has set up a new speed record for six litre craft on Lake Como, Italy. This picture was taken as he travelled at speed during the successful attempt. (Planet News).

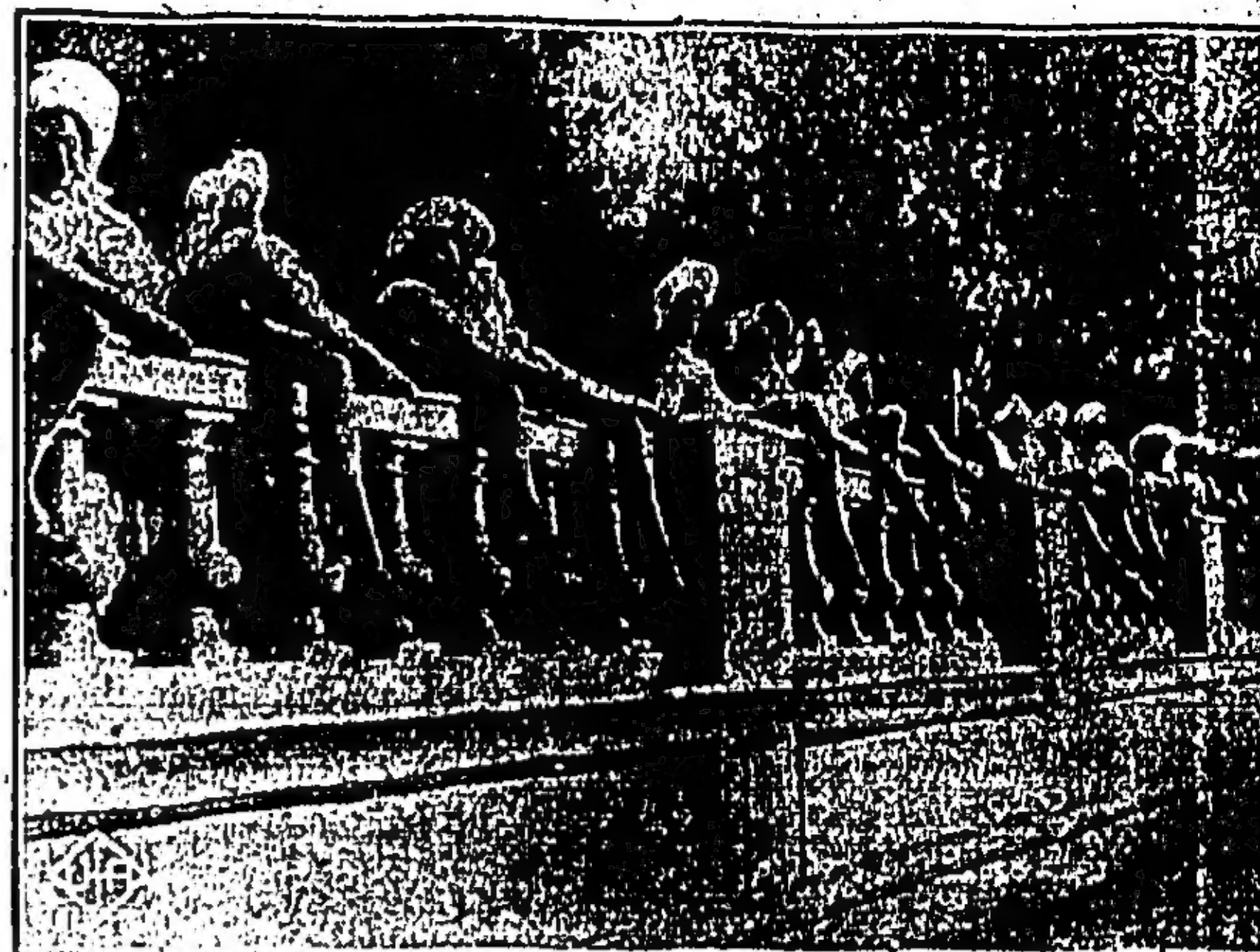


RECENT WEDDING. Mr. Robert Charles Andrews and his bride, Miss Agripina Philipova, who were married at the Shanghai Union Church last week. The honeymoon is being spent in Japan.



RUSSIAN CONCERT. Members of the Russian community in Shanghai gave a delightful concert at the Lyceum Theatre recently to celebrate the "Day of Russian Culture." The United Wagner Choir and the Terek Cossack Choir sang specially well in their numbers and the balalaika items were another interesting feature.

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Upset monthly Fee \$200. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt to the effect that the sum of \$250 has been deposited into the Colonial Treasury, which sum shall be forfeited to the Crown in the event of the accepted tenderer refusing to carry out the terms of his tender.

The deposits of the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them.

Form of tender and further particulars can be obtained from the office of the Director of Public Works.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

A. G. W. TICKLE,
Director of Public Works.
Hongkong, 14th July, 1933.

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Amoy	Sirdhana	July 20.
Shanghai	Szechuen	July 20.
Shanghai	Aramis	July 21.
Japan and Shanghai	Fushimi Maru	July 21.
Japan	Kamo Maru	July 21.
Australia and Manila	Kitano Maru	July 21.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	July 21.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 23rd June)	Pres. Pierce	July 21.
Shanghai	Somali	July 21.
Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	July 22.
Straits	Aeneas	July 23.
Manila	Emp. of Russia	July 24.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 30th June)	Pres. Grant	July 24.
Calcutta and Straits	Tilawa	July 25.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 29th June—and Parcels, 22nd June.	Ranchi	July 26.
Straits	Tokushima Maru	July 26.
Japan and Shanghai	Chichibu Maru	July 28.
Shanghai	Dardanus	July 28.
Japan	Hakodate Maru	July 28.
Japan and Shanghai	Yokohama Maru	July 28.
Japan	Ranpura	July 28.
Japan and Shanghai	Tokwa Maru	July 28.
Straits	General Pershing	July 29.
Calcutta and Straits	Rhesus	July 29.
Japan	Suisang	July 29.
Straits	Nellore	July 30.
	Helenus	July 31.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., July 20, 3 p.m.
Saigon and Europe via Marseilles Aramis		Thurs., July 20.
(Due Marseilles, 22nd August)		
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg.,	Reg.,	
Letters, .. July 20, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, .. July 20, 4.15 p.m.	
Friday		
Japan	Kitano Maru	Fri., July 21, 9.30 a.m.
Holhow	Yingchow	Fri., July 21, 10 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Taipei	Fri., July 21
via Thursday Island	Parcels, ..	July 20, 5 p.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 1st Aug.)	Reg., ..	July 21, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters, ..	July 21, 10.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Fri., July 21, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Fri., July 21, 3 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Hakusan Maru	Fri., July 21, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Pierce	Fri., July 21, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B.C., and Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C., 8th August).	Pres. Jefferson	Fri., July 21
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	Reg., ..	July 21, 4.15 p.m.
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YESTERDAY'S MARKET EASY

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Business done 7,440,000 shares. The *Wall Street Journal* reports: "Stocks broke heavily due to crash in wet lanes and profit-taking. Banks reduced collateral value on wet issues which rose sensationally recently. Brokers asked for more margin. Few complied and the majority of the profit-taking was demoralizing to the wet market. The bottom fell out of the grain market due to profit-taking and prices were down as much as 19 1/2 cents a bushel. Long holders were dumping huge quantities of wheat, corn, oats and rye touching off innumerable stoploss orders but there was some slight recovery near the close. Cotton was down more than \$2, rubber and silver were down nearly 100 points each. Sugar eased off only a few points. "Ironrange" *Nicaragua* reports: "Steel production was reported at 58% of capacity. The pressure for deliveries is still great particularly from the automobile filed although new demand from that section has declined, indicating that manufacturers anticipate some reduction in the production of steel for August which, however, may not occur."

Dow-Jones averages: July 18. July 19.

30 Industrials 108.07 103.58

20 Rails 56.63 54.91

20 Utilities 37.51 36.15

40 Bonds 89.07 Unq.

Alaska Juneau Mining Co. 30 1/2 27 1/2

Allied Chemical & Dye 181 126 1/2

American Can 95 91

American & Foreign Power 18 1/2 17 1/2

Amer. & For. Pow. Warrants 12 1/2 11 1/2

American Metal Co. 23 1/2 22

American Smelting & Tel. 42 1/2 38 1/2

American Tobacco 132 128

American Waterworks 30 1/2 28 1/2

Anacosta Copper 22 1/2 20 1/2

Atlas Corporation 16 1/2 15 1/2

Auburn Automobiles 78 70 1/2

Baltimore & Ohio 36 1/2 34 1/2

Bothlehem Steel 48 1/2 42 1/2

Borden Company 38 1/2 36 1/2

Borg Warner 19 1/2 18 1/2

Canadian Pacific Railway 20 10

Case, J.I. 96 1/2 80

Chase National Bank 34 1/2 Unq.

Chesapeake Cor. poration 49 1/2 47 1/2

Chrysler 37 1/2 36 1/2

Columbia Gas & Electric 26 1/2 26

Consolidated Gas of New York 61 1/2 59 1/2

Continental Oil 18 1/2 15 1/2

Douglas Aircraft 17 1/2 15 1/2

Drug Inc. 54 63 1/2

Du Pont de Nemours 83 1/2 79 1/2

Eastman Kodak 86 1/2 86 1/2

Electric Bond & Share 38 1/2 36 1/2

General Aviation 10 1/2 8 1/2

General Electric 29 1/2 27 1/2

General Foods 38 1/2 38

General Motors 38 1/2 32

Signal Railway 46 42

Gold Dust 26 1/2 24 1/2

Goodyear Tire & Rubber 44 1/2 41 1/2

International Cement 38 1/2 36 1/2

International Harvester 44 1/2 40

International Nickel 21 1/2 20 1/2

International Tel. & Tel. 20 1/2 18 1/2

Johns Manville 58 53 1/2

Kenecott Copper 25 1/2 23 1/2

Lehman Corporation 77 75 1/2

Liggett & Myers 94 93

Loew's Inc. 29 1/2 28 1/2

Lorillard P. 24 1/2 23 1/2

McIntyre Procupine Mines Ltd. 37 34 1/2

Montgomery Ward 27 1/2 25 1/2

National City Bank 38 1/2 Unq.

National Distillers 51 1/2 51 1/2

New York Central 55 1/2 51 1/2

North American Co. 34 1/2 32 1/2

Jvans-Illinois Glass Co. 93 1/2 96

Pacific Gas & Electric 29 1/2 30

Pennsylvania Railroad 39 37

Phillips Petroleum 10 1/2 16 1/2

Reynolds Tobacco 50 1/2 49 1/2

Sears Roebuck 44 1/2 41

Shell Union 10 1/2 10

Socny - Vacuum Corporation 15 14

Southern California Edison 26 1/2 26 1/2

LONDON STOCK PRICES

MARKET IRREGULAR

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market: Irregular owing mainly to some profit taking.

Chinese Bonds July 18. July 19.

4 1/2% Bonds 1898 £100 £100

(Eng. Iss.) £82 1/2 £82 1/2

4 1/2% Loan 1908 £82 1/2 £82 1/2

5% Loan 1912 £56 £56 1/2

5% Recorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.) £84 1/2 £85

5% Bonds 1925-47 £89 1/2 £89 1/2

5% Shai-Nanking Ry. £40 £40

5% Tient-Pukow Ry. £20-25 £20-25

5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan) £17-22 £17-22

5% Shai-Hangchow - Ningpo Ry. £83-83 £83-83

5% Honan Ry. £10 £10

5% Hukuang Ry. £28 £28

5% Lung Tsing U. Ry. £12 1/2 £12 1/2

5% Hal Ry. 1913 £12 1/2 £12 1/2

German 7% Internat. Loan 1924 83 83

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907 £83 £83 1/2

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924 £91 £91 1/2

Associated Elec. Industries 22/6 21/9

Brit-Amor. Tob. 110/7 110/7 1/2

Chinese Eng. 32/6 32/6

J. & P. Coats 59/6 59/6

Courtaulds 39/9 39/9

Distillers 81/- 80/-

Dunlop Rubber 35/9 35/1 1/2

Eveready 29/3 29/3

General Elec. 44/3 43/9

Guinness 96/6 97/-

Impl. Chem. Industries 30/6 30/3

Impl. Tobacco 100/- 100/-

Internat. Tea Stores 29/- 29/-

Internat. Nickel 20 1/2 £21 1/2

Pinchin Johnson 33/3 33/-

Turner & Newall 33/3 33/3

Unilever 29/6 29/3

Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch 18/6 17/9

Burma Corp. 13/9 14/4 1/2

Canadian Pacific Ry. £20 1/2 £20 1/2

Gula Kalumpung Rubber 18/6 18/6

Trepca Mines 18/9 18/9

Langlaagte Estates 27/- 27/3

London Tin 13/- 13/6

Rubber Trusts 26/- 24/9

Shai. Elec. Constr. 59/9 58/9

Van Ryn Deep Oils 31/10 31/10 1/2

Anglo-Persian Oil 43/9 43/1 1/2

Burmah Oil 80/- 79/4 1/2

Royal Dutch 100 fl. sh. £22 £21 1/2

Shell Trans. & Trad. 54/4 53/9

Standard Gas & Electric 20 1/2 19

Standard Oil Co. of N.J. 40 1/2 38 1/2

Texas Corporation 27 1/2 26 1/2

Texas Gulf Sulphur 34 31 1/2

Union Carbide & Carbon 50 1/2 47

United Aircraft & Trans. 44 1/2 40

United Corporation 13 1/2 12 1/2

United Gas Improvement 23 1/2 23 1/2

U.S. Rubber 23 1/2 21 1/2

U.S. Steel 60 1/2 63 1/2

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Woolworth 49 1/2 47

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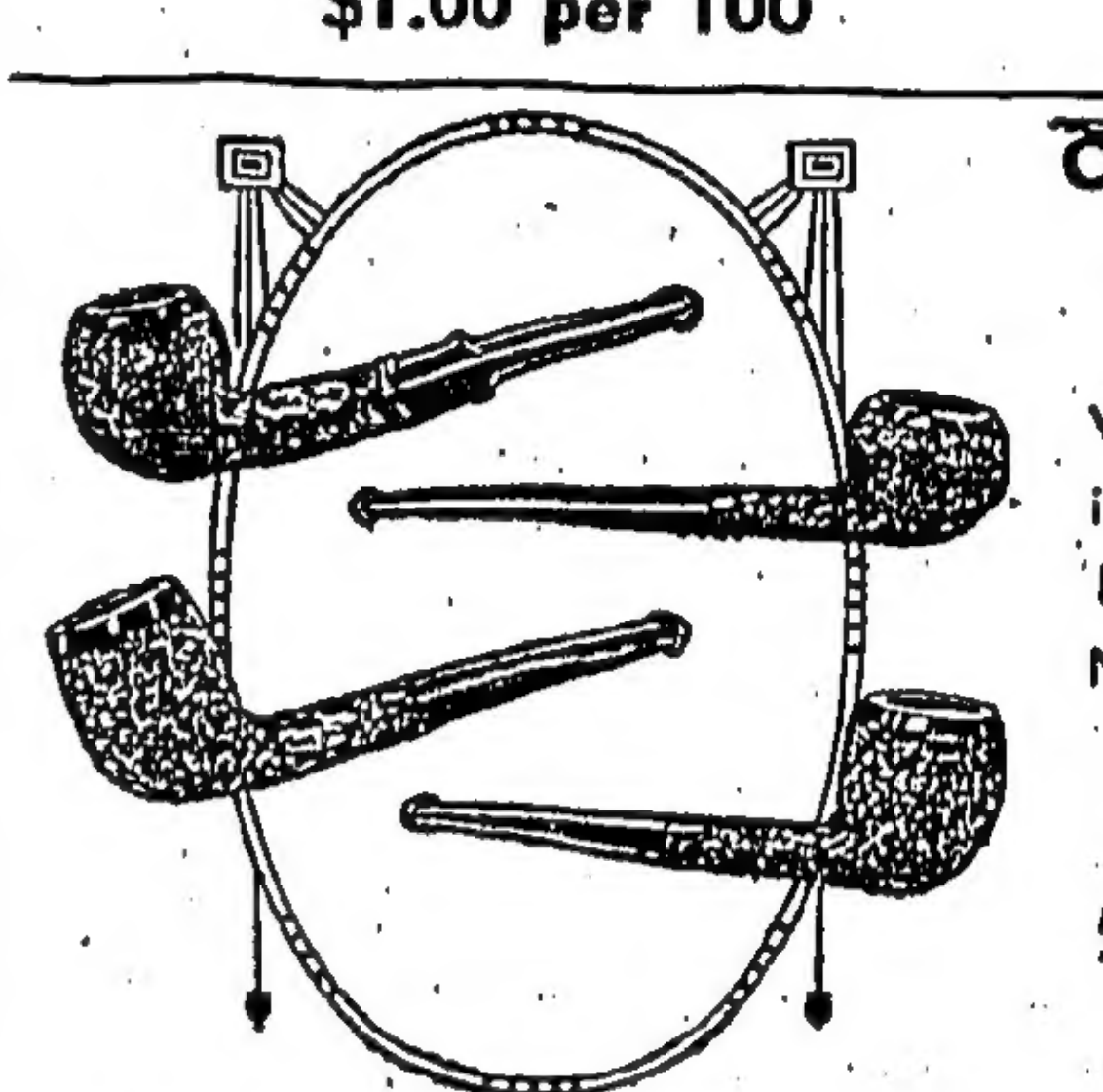
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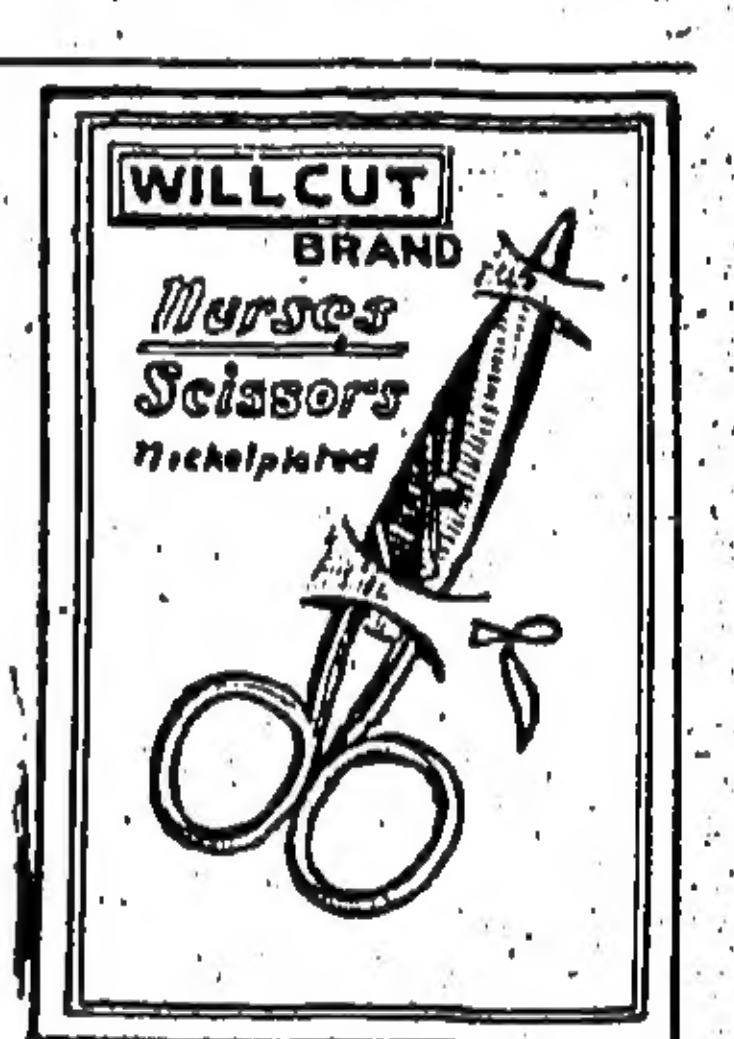
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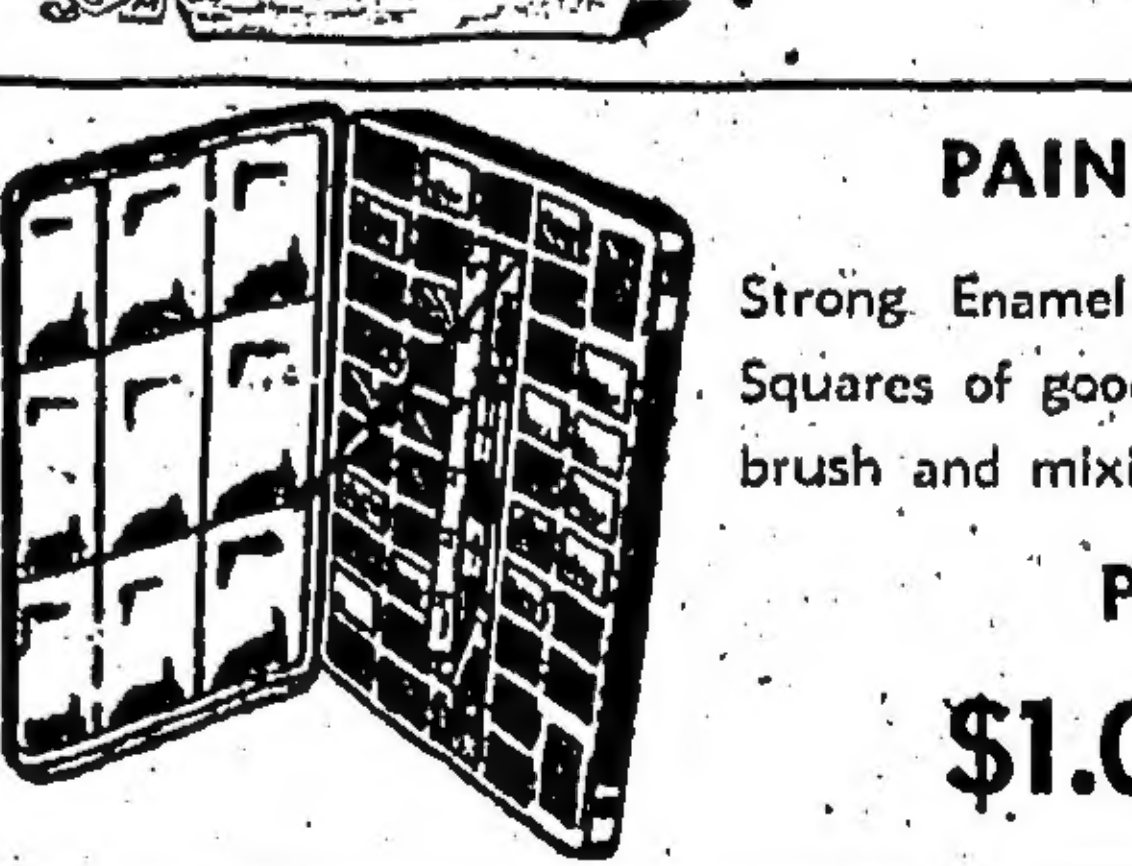


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THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1933.

COMMUNISM IN CHINA

The degree to which Communism may be regarded as a menace in China depends upon the point of view. An interesting sidelight on the situation in Kwangtung is provided in the article published elsewhere in this issue, revealing the justice of the contention that the cruelties of Communism are no worse than those of the soldiers sent to harry them, but for its radical attack on property and intolerance of reasoned opposition. Those who have dwelt in the communistic areas of Kiangsi, where the grip of the Reds is most firmly settled, bear no animus against the Communists, and in Chinese society generally there are signs of a disposition to say, particularly among what we might call, for want of a better term, the intelligentsia, that if forceful aims are abandoned, its tenets are worthy of consideration. They would gladly give the alternative system a trial, those who are tired of war-lords. And the transition would not be difficult. By accommodating itself to the family system, the "Gospel" of Communism would quickly spread without the class-hatred distinguishing the Russian Revolution, for the reason that class is more fluid in China than in any other country in the world. Everything in China is chaotic to the onlooker at present, but if one thing stands out clearer than another, it is that the Communist Party nucleus is the only one which has remained steadfast to its principles in all situations. It is rigidly organised. And it works not for power and wealth but for an idea. If the idea were diverted from its present direction and moulded to China's age-long civilisation, breaking adrift from the use of force, there would be distinct possibilities for good in the movement. In the quest for the ideal society, which no-one would argue exists in Western civilisation, China, after lagging behind for so many centuries, might at last find herself first in the field. Communism, spiritually blind and ruthless as it is, has at least witnessed to the reviving conviction of mankind that private advantage at the general expense is not the purpose of human order. It is the method of seeking redress that is wrong not the material aid of the

NOTES OF THE DAY

It is not every day in the week that the Sanitary Department finds itself with a deceased elephant upon its hands, which is perhaps fortunate. Three thousand, three hundred pounds of carcase is well calculated to create head-scratching and a load of worry, as well as a load upon a lorry. We cannot imagine the Head of the Sanitary Department passing a vote of thanks to the circus for providing him with such an interesting problem as the disposal of the body, even while it had the effect of demonstrating that ingenuity and resource is not the sole prerogative of those who chide our government departments. Cremation, we admit, would have been among the last of the solutions which would have occurred to us. But that, perhaps, is due to our lesser experience in the relationship between carcases and assaults to the olfactory nerves.

STERLING STANDARD

Mr. Hore-Belisha gave the obvious reply to his Commons inquisitor on the subject of an Empire currency. The need has long passed. All the principal countries within the Empire have already linked themselves with sterling, the one exception being Canada. Even Hongkong has somehow managed to get herself pegged more or less upon the sterling standard, the fluctuations of silver playing but a trifling part in its movements. It is notable that the issue has not been seriously raised since the Ottawa Conference and a motive behind the question is a trifle difficult to fathom. It would not be surprising, in fact, to find in the near future, all Empire currencies allied to sterling. The damage to Canada's interests occasioned by the depreciation of the American dollar is a factor which cannot be ignored.

GOVERNMENT'S DUTY

The shock felt by Chinese bathers when it was indicated that Government intended to deprive them of their bathing facilities at North Point has been scarcely lessened by the subsequent official declaration that the authorities are taking active measures to find substitute beaches. The news is welcome, but does not entirely allay a feeling of disquiet. The chief asset of the North Point Pavilions is their accessibility, coupled with the special transport facilities provided by the tramway company. Thousands of Chinese are affected, the majority of them living on the Island. It will therefore be grossly insufficient to offer only beaches at Lanchow. The financial aspect cannot be overlooked. The Chinese bathing clubs have spent lakhs on the erection of their pavilions and other structures at North Point. Is this to be so much money thrown away? At the moment the Chinese have every reason to be nervous regarding their position, and Government has a definite responsibility.

A PUPPET KING

Creation of thrones and the coronation of kings are strange phenomena in these days of dictators and republics. And this perhaps adds piquancy to the suggested elevation of Pu Yi, the puppet head of the Manchukuo State. Pu Yi's history as the mouthpiece of Japan in Manchuria was never such to promote respect and admiration. To the world at large, the office has singularly lacked dignity, and even the title of "King" is not likely to alter this state of affairs. The Commission appointed to draft the new Manchukuo constitution has thought fit to satisfy a whim of the former boy Emperor. Beyond that his elevation will probably mean nothing. He will have the satisfaction of dressing up uniformed

TENNIS IS NOT PING PONG

FROM a hanky-panky game considered suitable only for females and weaklings, tennis has made amazing progress, until to-day it is ranked as one of the world's most strenuous sports.

DAVIS Cup contests are the International Tests of tennis, and on Friday Britain and America meet in one which promises to be one of the progress of the game in its individual, national and international characteristics from the date of its existence in 1876.

Lawn tennis is a comparatively modern game, and its general popularity dates back only to within the last 18 or 20 years.

The introduction of the Davis Cup competition marks the start of the game's climb to popularity. "One of our players here has offered us a cup to be a sort of international challenge cup." In those words the inauguration of the Davis Cup contest was made, and not even the name of the donor was mentioned by the 1900 chairman of the United States Lawn Tennis Association (Dr. James Dwight) when he made the announcement to the secretary of the London Tennis Association that year.

Dwight Davis, the donor, was a member of the American team of that year, and he had the unique distinction of being a member of the American team to play England for his cup in the first contest.

At the time the cup was intended as a trophy for matches between only America and England. Within the next 10 years interest in tennis grew amazingly, and the donor said then that if he had dreamt of such progress he would have had the cup beaten in gold instead of silver.

Since the first meeting, America has won the cup 10 times; Australia and France, each six; and England, five. Now the cup attracts entries from 34 nations scattered all over the world's surface.

The modern form of lawn tennis really came into existence in 1875, when Major Walter Wingfield patented the game under the ungainly name of Sphairistike. His "waist" court—the back line was much wider than the net—did not last long, for the Marylebone Cricket Club, which was the recognised sporting authority, then drew up a set of rules in 1876, which divided the court into two.

Control of the game was later vested in the London Lawn Tennis Association. In 1877 the first championship was held at Wimbledon with only 22 competitors. Now the title matches attract a crowd of more than 20,000, and the competitors are drawn from more than 15 countries.

For the first few years of the Davis Cup contests, the style of play was based on the English baseline driving game, but the Americans gradually evolved a faster and more direct means of attack.

Dwight Davis and Holcombe Ward surprised their opponents with what has now become known as the American twist service, but still the Doherty brothers continued to hold sway for England.

H. L. Doherty must be classed among the really great players of the world. He was a master of the baseline game, and a champion with his ground shots. He had a wonderful record in never being beaten at Wimbledon and in Davis Cup matches.

The fast hard-hitting game of tennis, which lifted the game out of the rut, where it was regarded as being something of a feminine pastime, came with the advent of Maurice E. McLoughlin, holder of

the American singles title in 1912 and 1913.

Although Ward and Davis had exploited the hard-hitting game, the high speed cyclonic hitting, and forceful smashing were unknown until rumours of a player named McLoughlin were spread from the east coast of the United States.

Then in 1908 McLoughlin entered upon the tennis world with a burst of brilliance that earned him the popular nickname of "The California Comet." His methods transformed the game into one of brawn as well as brains.

He was one of the greatest forces in the tennis world until 1914, when W. M. Johnston defeated him in the American championship. That was the beginning of the end for McLoughlin, but he left a mark on the game which has stood the test of time.

Vines, the present holder of the world's title, follows in the footsteps of the "Comet," but good judges consider him to be the hardest hitter that the game has ever known.

In breaking through the hard forcing, overhead game of McLoughlin, Johnston again established the ground shot game, but still the net game is the final word in attack, and as such will never die out, for it is only the attacking game that will win matches.

Norman Brookes and Anthony Wilding put Australia on the tennis map by winning the Davis Cup in 1907, and then Patterson carried on the good work when he captured the world's singles title at Wimbledon in 1919.

That was his really big year, and although he played brilliant tennis after that, he never again quite reached the form he revealed that year.

It has been the same with the truly great players right down the ages, and good judges have expressed the opinion that no player can play at top form for more than seven years.

say, although they continue to play good tennis, they gradually lose form because of the great strain of match play.

The race for tennis supremacy is going on all the time, and even when nations have a winning team in the field, they continue building for the time when their champions begin to lose form.

America has led the way in team building, for within a few years of the retirement of its really great players, such as Tilden, it has produced Vines, who is regarded as the greatest player of all time. Australia is following the American methods by fostering the young players, and the selection of McGrath, Quist, and Turnbull is a notable outcome.

The selection should justify itself if it results in an improvement in their play, because it is only by meeting the best in competition that any athlete reaches the highest rung of the ladder.

Women have progressed with their game as well as the men. Suzanne Lenglen brought a new style to women's tennis by her dash-

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The Very Idea!

CABARET QUESTION
By Edward Kelly, Wovwar.

EVERYONE is writing and speaking about the Cabaret question in Hongkong, so we think it's our turn now.

The reason why we haven't mentioned it before is because we've been trying to find out what the question is all about.

In the course of our search, we visited some of the dens of iniquity last night. We took Pete along with us to provide the money for the practice tickets.

Several able-bodied men, who should have known better, were surreptitiously drinking lemonade through a straw when we entered a Kowloon cabaret.

Someone muttered "Police!" as we entered the doorway. And three or four young men bolted across the floor. Grabbing a woman apiece, they dragged them around and around the room seeking an exit.

Editor's note: The man who muttered "Police!" must have been referring to the Fox-trot "Please", which the hand was playing.

Kelly's note: They were playing an anthem.

Editor's note: You mean anthem.

Kelly's note: No, anthem. Anthem some.

Shortly after 11 p.m. we had to stop dancing because we couldn't hear the band.

Because of the radio next door. Fortunately ZBW closed down soon afterwards and we were able to resume.

The party was getting rough. We could see "Victim", "British Resident" and "Mother of Seven" in the corner, furiously scribbling letters to the papers.

Suddenly four policemen entered, and Pete turned pall.

Editor's note: Error. You mean "pale".

Kelly's note: You spoke a full quart.

And prepared to bolt.

Editor's note: Ah! A bolt from the Blue.

Kelly's note: No, they were in plain clothes.

Just as the four policemen were enjoying their third dance, the alarm bell went off.

"Time, gentlemen!" said The Voice.

We walked outside into the cool, clear air. The four policemen were hideously cursing the curfew hour. A couple of doors away a party was in progress, and the uproar floated down the street. Three or four gramophones blared three or four tunes from the opposite side of the road. A taxi-driver honked the horn of his car until he disappeared around the corner. Some cats were fighting on the roof, and nearby a dog howled. The dog woke the baby of the owner of the top flat and it added its wails. Two rickshaw coolies squabbled regarding the distribution of fare, and the two sailors who had just vacated the rickshaws staggered down the street, singing raucously. A Chinese beggar meandered along, playing a fiddle, hoping against hope that even at this late hour cumshaw would be forthcoming. Nearby, a wire-less crank was trying to tune in Radio Paris and the mixture of music and atmospherics successfully pitted itself against the uproar from the party over the road.

We sat on the roadway with our head in our hands, and as the railway clock struck one, the cabaret proprietor came out and joined us.

"You know," he said, "the police should do something about all this noise. I haven't been able to get a wink of sleep. I guess I'll write to the papers."

We staggered away. Our search was ended. At last we knew the answer to the Cabaret question.

It's a great, big bowl of raspberries.



"Let's invite the Dryans in to dinner. We simply have to get rid of this const!"

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DOYLE PUNISHED FOR SAVAGE FIGHTING

PETERSEN SCRAP ECHO

A SIX MONTHS' SUSPENSION

LOSES BIG PART OF THE PURSE

Action By Board of Control

London, July 19. Jack Doyle's performance against Petersen for the Heavyweight Championship of Britain last week, when he lost the fight by fouling his opponent in the second round, has cost him dearly.

The British Boxing Board of Control have taken an extremely serious view of the whole thing, and the administrative Stewards, after holding an inquiry into the fight, have suspended Doyle's license for six months, the order to operate forthwith.

Furthermore Doyle will not receive the full amount of the losers end of the big championship purse.

Doyle is to receive £5 a week for six months and his mother a further £5 a week for the same period.

The balance of the purse money due to Doyle is to be forfeited.

The method of dealing with this balance has been left to the discretion of the General Joint Committee of the Board of Control.

SAVAGE FIGHT.

The fight for the British Heavyweight title on July 12, it will be recalled, was one of the most savage in the history of the contemporary boxing ring.

The fight lasted only two and a half rounds, but during that time Doyle was warned for hugging and was finally disqualified for hitting Petersen with two palpably low blows.

Both men lashed out viciously and their short but sharp fights constituted one of the most remarkable displays of post-war championship bouts.

Petersen has enjoyed a meteoric career, and since September 1931 has won eleven big fights. Six of the decision have been on knock-out blows.—*Reuter.*

FRENCH BOXERS.

Pladner To Fight In Shanghai.

Negotiations between the Shanghai Boxing Association and the three French boxers who have been touring Japan have resulted in an arrangement whereby Emile Pladner (a former French and world champion) Ransel and Hughes will arrive in Shanghai to-morrow and will take part in the Association's first card at the Candromo on Thursday, July 27.

GILLIGAN ON BODYLINE CONTROVERSY

SUGGESTS IMMEDIATE CONFERENCE BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES

Writing in the *New Chronicle* on the dispute between the M.C.C. and the Australian Board of Control over the body-line bowling question, Mr. A. E. R. Gilligan, former Sussex and England cricket captain, writes:

I have reason to believe that the situation arising out of the recent cricket quarrel between England and Australia is more serious than many imagine.

The M.C.C. in their reply to the last Australian cable, showed that they are standing very firmly by Jardine.

During the last fortnight I have met a dozen or more Australians, some of whom are resident in this country and some who are visitors to England every summer. They all regret the hasty action of their Board of Control in sending such an ill-advised cable in the first instance.

THE BREACH. They also condemn very strongly the unkind and untrue statements made in certain quarters of the Australian Press.

But they have expressed the opinion to me that the last reply to the M.C.C. has done nothing to heal the breach, but in fact has only helped to widen it.

PETERSEN'S TRAIL OF VICTORY.

1931
Sept. 28.—Knocked out Bill Partridge, 4th round.
1932
Feb. 4.—Knocked out Dick Power, 1st round.
March 28.—Knocked out Charlie Smith, 15th round.
May 2.—Beat Tom Toner (disqualified) 6th round.
May 23.—Beat Harry Crossley, on points.
July 12.—Knocked out Reggie Meen, 2nd round.
1933
Jan. 2.—Beat Hans Schonrath (retired), 8th round.
Jan. 26.—Knocked out Jack Pettifer, 12th round.
Feb. 23.—Beat Ernst Guhring, on points.
May 15.—Knocked out Heino Muller, 1st round.
June 26.—Beat Jack Cook on points.
July 12.—Beat Jack Doyle on a foul.

ANOTHER DAVIS CUP TIE

DENMARK AND GREECE

EACH WIN MATCH

Copenhagen, July 19.

A further tie in the qualifying series of the 1934 Davis Cup competition began to-day, when Denmark and Greece met at Copenhagen.

The countries finished all square on the day's play. Stalos of Greece was defeated by Jacobsen the Dane after an exciting five sets match.

Jacobsen was in arrears after the first and third sets, but staged a splendid recovery and ran out to win the concluding two sets.

REVENGE.

Xydis of Greece took revenge for his countryman's failure, when he overcame Ulrich in a full-distance encounter.

This was another example where the winner was down after the third set. Xydis lost the set after it had gone to 22 games, but he came back very strongly winning the fourth at 6-4 and the fifth at 6-1.

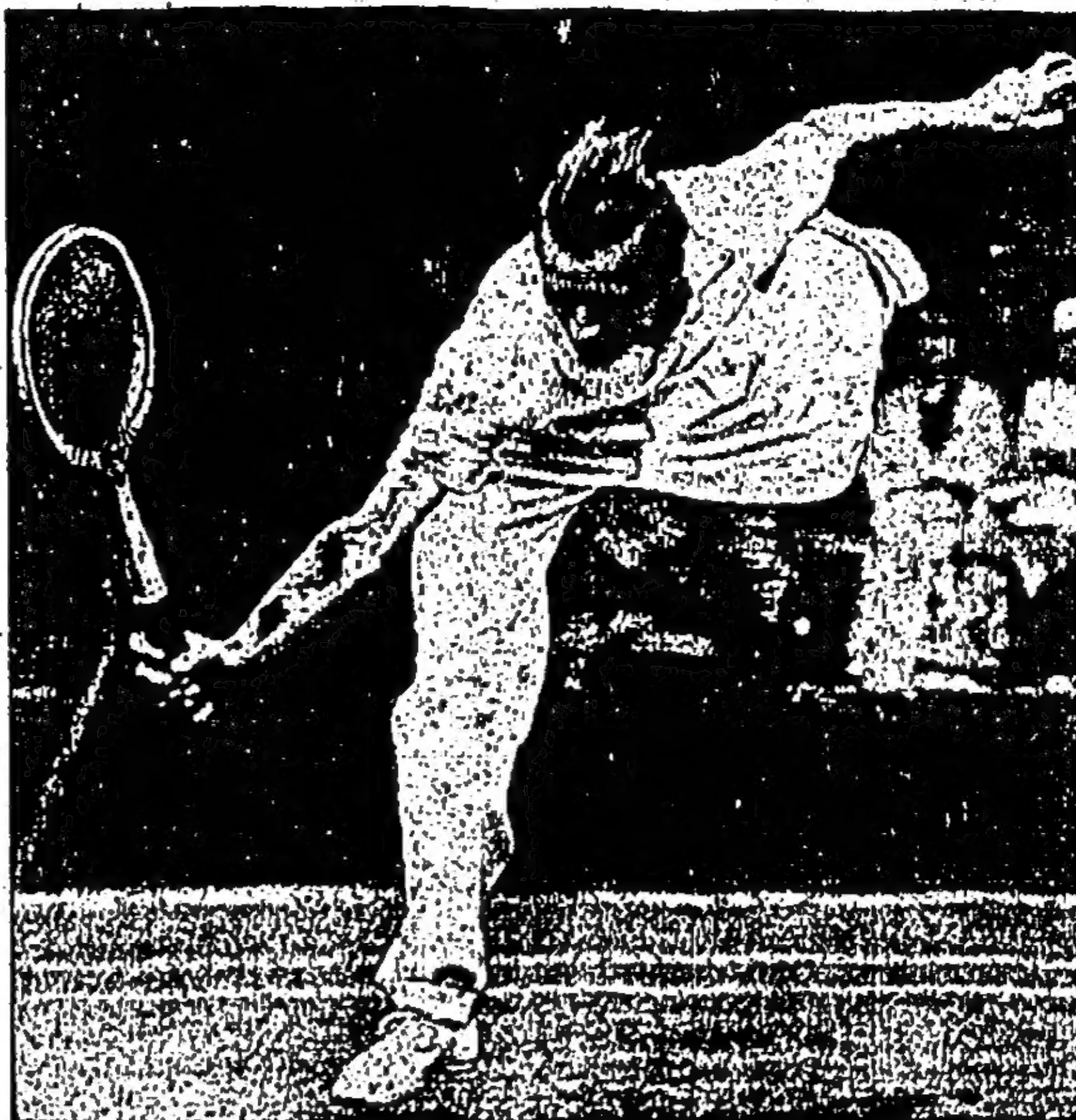
Scores: Jacobsen (Denmark) beat Stalos 4-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4. Xydis (Greece) beat Ulrich 4-6, 6-4, 10-12, 6-4, 6-1.—*Reuter.*

LEDUCQ WINS

Montpellier, July 12.

The 13th lap of the French bicycle rally between Martheilles and Montpellier, was won by the French racer Leducq, champion of last year's Tour de France, who showed rather unsatisfactory form this year.

Despite the fact that Leducq won the lap ahead of the best sprinters participating in the event, he has not much improved his position on the general ranking list, which is still led by the French racer Speicher, followed by Lemaire (Belgium), Guerra (Italy), and Archambaud, (France). The national ranking list is headed by France, Belgium comes second, Germany third, Switzerland fourth and Italy fifth.



Remarkable action study of Perry taken during his match with Farquharson.

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DESCRIPTIONS

HOW FRED PERRY LOST TO FARQUHARSON

SECOND DAY SENSATION AT THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The following description of Fred Perry's defeat at the hands of Farquharson, the South African player, in the second round of the Wimbledon tennis championship is given below by Mr. H. S. Scrivenor, the well known tennis correspondent of the *London Morning Post*.

At Wimbledon on the first day a seeded player, J. H. Crawford, only escaped extinction by the skin of his teeth. On the following day another seeded player, F. J. Perry, and one of England's chief "hopes," was soon in jeopardy in his match on the Centre Court against the South African, N. G. Farquharson, and, unlike Crawford, failed in the fifth set after giving his anxious supporters good grounds for believing at the end of the fourth that he had pulled the match round.

The result was undoubtedly a surprise, and it could be said so without belittling Farquharson in the very least. A volleyer in the main, he is a very fine doubles player, indeed, and has proved his worth as such in the Davis Cup in partnership with V. C. Kirby, whereas he is not regarded as nearly so good, by comparison, in singles. Yet when things are going well with account (as he did) he can be very formidable indeed. His plan of campaign was to serve hard, drive hard, regardless of the consequences, and, as the Americans say, "storm the net." The result was that he soon reduced Perry, who started somewhat nonchalantly, to such a state of uncertainty that he made blunders of all kinds, and seemed quite unable to cope with Farquharson's close-up volleying.

UPS AND DOWNS.

That Perry was able to keep the first set alive until Farquharson bagged his service for 7-5 was due mainly to the errors made by the South African while forcing the pace. When the second set went the way of the first (only at 6-1) a debacle seemed imminent; but Perry, though still nothing like as efficient as he can be, managed to pull himself together to win two sets at 6-3 and 6-4, in about thirty minutes. It now seemed as if Farquharson had not enough left in him to continue his net-rushing game; he had been hanging back more. But he came again with a great spurt in the fifth set. Perry managed to pull him back from 3-0 to 3-3. Two games later Farquharson, having won his own service for 4-3, won Perry's for 6-3. Still it was not over.

Farquharson, serving in the ninth game, reached 40-15. He was then foot-faulted and served a double. After another foot-fault he got his second over, but Perry drove it hard down the line for a point and eventually won that game after "vantage" twice. Everything seemed in his favour after this fine recovery. But Farquharson was still full of fight and playing for dearth or glory in the next game won Perry's service for the match, which had lasted about an hour and a half. Towards the end of the game the police had to keep back from the court a crowd of eager folk for whom there was no room.

BOWES A NON STARTER

CANNOT PLAY IN TEST ON SATURDAY.

London, July 19.

It is announced that Bowes, the Yorkshire fast bowler, will be unable to play for England against the West Indies in the second Test match on Saturday.

Clark of Northants, who was selected twelfth man in the first Test, has been brought in to take the Yorkshireman's place.—*Reuter.*

ITALIAN SPEED KING WINS RACE

Francorchamps, July 10. The Belgian automobile Grand Prix held yesterday, was won by the Italian racer Nuvolari, who covered 505 kms. (40 rounds of the Francorchamps speed track) at an average speed of 143.5 kms. p.m. The second place went to Varzi, while Sommer only covered 35 rounds.

SURPRISE FOR S. CHINA

HELD TO DIVISION OF POINTS BY CRAIGENGOWER

The South China "A" and "B" teams in the First Division of the Tennis League had a bad day out yesterday, the former playing a drawn match with the Craigengower C.C. at Happy Valley, and the latter losing to the Indian R.C. by 8 sets to 1 at Sookunpoo.

The Valley match provides one of the biggest upsets this season, in so far as the South China "A" team were the only serious rivals to the Chinese R.C. "A". The South China "A" team has, in fact, won all its matches up to date, including a good victory over the Indian R.C. This draw has seriously jeopardised their chances of winning the championship, and unless they win all their remaining matches, including a win over the Chinese R.C., they cannot hope to wrest the shield from the Causeway Bay team.

The hopes of yesterday's match for the Craigengower team were R. Chan and Tam Yee-fong. They won 2½ sets, and had they been given better support, might have won the match for Craigengower. Leonard and Hachluma, their crack pair, have of late shown a serious lapse of form, and they only annexed one set. The Indians had no difficulty in disposing of the South China "B" dropping only one set. A. R. Minu and F. D. Pereira, after leading 5-3

AMES BATS BRIGHTLY

82 AGAINST THE GENTLEMEN

JAS. LANGRIDGE IN FORM

London, July 19.

In the first Gentlemen v. Players match of the season, which opened at Lord's to-day, the Players found difficulty in scoring runs, and in compiling 278 for nine wickets before the close, owed practically everything to Leslie Ames and James Langridge.

Ames, whose batting since his return from Australia, has been consistently brilliant, batted in elegant style and with perfect freedom. He scored 82 before dismissal, and made his runs with classical strokes all round the wicket.

Langridge, a left hander with many graceful strokes, also batted well and compiled 71. He has been selected to make his initial appearance in Test cricket on Saturday and his current form suggests that he will make a lot of runs.—*Reuter.*

YANKEES LOSE

SENATORS REGAIN GROUND

FIGHT FOR THE LEADERSHIP

New York, July 19.

To-day it fell to the turn of the New York Yankees to suffer defeat whilst Washington Senators just need their way home against St. Louis.

The Yankees were the victims of Chicago, who scored eight runs to New York's two.

The Giants in the National League broke even with Pittsburgh in a double header, losing the first game, but winning the second. Scores as supplied by *Reuter*.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	9	4
Brooklyn	5	9	0
(Hafey homered for Cincinnati)			
Pittsburgh	4	9	0
New York	1	8	2

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	3	12	3
New York	7	10	0
AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
New York	4	11	3
Chicago	8	7	0

(Walker homered for New York)

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	7	12	4
Cleveland	8	14	0

(Wesferrall homered for Cleveland and Rickferrall for Boston, There were thirteen innings.)

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	7	12	1
Detroit	3	9	0
Philadelphia	5	10	1
Detroit	10	18	1

(Miller homered for Philadelphia)

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	8	14	2
St. Louis	7	13	1

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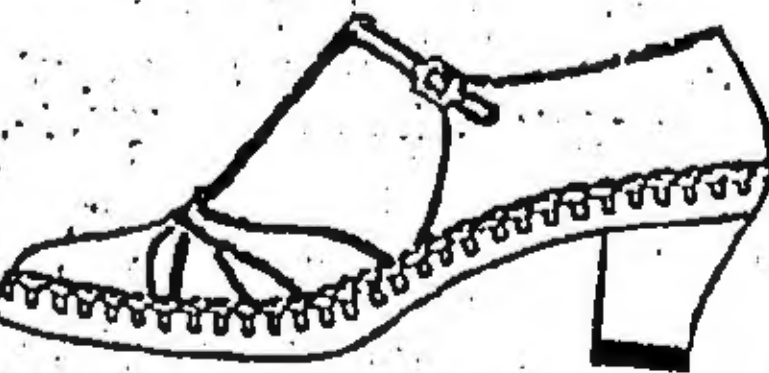
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THE THEATRES

"Humanity," the new Fox drama depicting the romance of a young scientist and the girl who loves him, opens at the King's Theatre to-day for an engagement of two days. Ralph Morgan, veteran of the stage and screen; Alexander Kirkland, whose name has graced a great number of successes; Boots Mallory and Irene Ware, two new-comers who are well on their way to stardom, head the cast of the film.

The locale of the story involves the contrasting environment of the very poor and the rich. It moves from the haunts of the wealthy, to the places where the poor struggle even to maintain life. Through it all runs a romance that is said to be one of the most unusual ever portrayed on the screen.

The supporting cast includes Noel Madison, Wade Boteler, Christian Rub, Betty Jane Graham, Ferike Boros, George Irving, Crawford Kent and Nella Walker. John Francis Dillon directed from the screen play by Bradley King. The film is an adaptation of the story, "The Road to Heaven," by Harry Fried.

"What! No Beer?"

From Ronald Colman's arms to the arms of Buster Keaton. That is the cinematic leap taken by the screen's newest brunette beauty, Phyllis Barry. Miss Barry came from the tragedy of "Cynara" to the rollicking nonsense of the newest Buster Keaton-Jimmy Durante comedy, "What! No Beer?" a burlesque on the beer question which will be shown at the Queen's Theatre from Sunday.

Quite a leap indeed, considering that these two betwixt make the sum total of this British stage beauty's screen appearances.

"You might call it from the sublime to the ridiculous," Miss Barry declares. "But I enjoyed it immensely."

"Provided you have your health and can stand the strain of the mad pace that Buster Keaton and Jimmy Durante set, it's a jolly lot of fun. "Buster is my sweetheart in this picture. When I go into a love scene with him I can never be quite sure whether I am going to be kissed or tripped up by a beer keg that Durante is playing roll-the-hoop with."

"You just can't help loving both Buster and Schnozzle Durante when you work with them in a picture. They are just as wild behind the camera as in front of it. There's no use trying to be dignified when they are around, and I can well understand why Edward Sedgwick has directed all the pictures they have made together. It takes a 200-pound giant like Mr. Sedgwick to hold them down."

"Ronny"

"Ronny" opens to-day at the Central Theatre.

E. Kalman who composed such famous operettas as "Sylvia," "Countess Maritza," "Bayadere" etc., created for the talking screen "Ronny". Everything that Kalman had written until this last creation of his could not be even compared with this chef d'oeuvre. His music is intoxicating like new wine. "Ufa" made it a special condition that this operetta cannot be shown on the stage.

The subject is free and easy, but its settings are the best that could be created by cinema: fairylike surroundings, luxury of palaces, etc. All in new and unusual, you will not find the banalities you encounter in most of the films. The spectator is conquered from the very first part. The merry and witty story makes you laugh without end.

"The Mummy"

Karloff and Edward Van Sloan make their second appearance together in that fantastic reincarnation play "The Mummy" now showing at the Oriental Theatre. Both actors played in "Frankenstein," the film which rocketed Karloff to fame.

Strangely enough, both portray roles in the occult Egyptian drama similar to those in the previous Shelly tale. Karloff again "comes to life" in what is said to be the most spectacular scene of his career, while Van Sloan again enacts the role of a scientist. This, however, is the third consecutive scientific role which Van Sloan has portrayed since coming to Hollywood direct from the New York stage, where he was a prominent member of the Theatre Guild. In "Dracula" he portrayed Dr. Van Helsing and it looks as though he is destined to play scientific roles for the rest of his screen career.

"Zoo in Budapest"

Jesse L. Lasky, for twenty years one of the outstanding figures in the motion picture industry, is resolved to

DARLING FOOL

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nervousness and excitement. Mackenzie readily acceded to her request. He was jubilant. Already he treated her like one of his choicest possessions. She was cold? Ah, that would never do! "Haggins, wrap Miss O'Dare in the fur rug, so!" That was better. He would order hot milk sent up to her room. Did she mind being alone until Miss Anstace returned? Well, all the better perhaps, so that she might make her decision.

At parting he was very gentle with her, under the bright, respectful eye of the uniformed boy at the lift.

"Sleep well," he charged her, smiling.

"Oh, I will," she promised, laughing nervously. "Thank you for everything—you are so kind."

But her eyes were troubled after she had left him. What should she do? It was too much to expect her to make such a tremendous decision overnight. Out of his presence, she now relaxed, feeling, if the truth were told, a bit resentful at the tumultuousness of his wooing. Miss Corey had described him not long ago as a bit of a pirate. The term suited him exactly. He had a touch of the buccaneer about him. A polite, well-clothed buccaneer, of course, but there was in his nature a trace of the ruthlessness which belongs to the unscrupulous.

Monica recognized this, liking him none the less for it, attracted in spite of herself. That he was twice her age did not seem to matter. She was young enough to consider this fact in itself a romantic circumstance. She did not love him—not! But since she could not have the man she did love, did this matter? Weren't most people inclined to overestimate the value of love?

She sat thus, wrapped in her old blue dressing gown, and sipped the warm milk the servant brought her, reminded by it of the man's solicitude for her.

"What shall I do?" she cried aloud to the empty walls. "What shall I tell him to-morrow?"

As if in answer to her cry a soft knock sounded at the door of the suite. Monnie, thinking the maid had returned to carry away the empty cup, softly called, "Come."

But, instead of the fresh faced English woman in her neat uniform, a page boy entered with an envelope on a salver.

"The letter came on the boat train, madam. The director thought it might be urgent, it had been so delayed."

She tore the envelope open with trembling fingers. Dan's writing! It had been addressed to her hotel in New York and forwarded.

What could he have to say to her? (To be Continued.)

"write" a sequel to his unusual career.

"The secret of success," he said, "is to surround yourself with good people. And that's just what I'm doing in my climb back up the ladder."

Lasky's first independent production is "Zoo in Budapest," in which he has Gene Raymond, Loretta Young, O. P. Heggie and Wally Albright in the principal roles. Rowland V. Lee, veteran director with many successes to his credit, directed the production, which comes to the King's Theatre on Saturday.

There are other pictures also are definitely scheduled for the Lasky programme. They include the Broadway stage success, "The Warrior's Husband," in which Elissa Landi and Ernest Trues will be starred, with Marjorie Rambeau playing a prominent supporting role; "Peking Blues," the Atlantic Monthly prize novel; and "Berkeley Square," the play which was a sensational success in London and on Broadway.

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"Platinum Blonde," produced by Columbia pictures, is the film that stands up under this barrage of virtues, with one of its dominant virtues the performance of Robert Williams, who did so nobly in "Rebound" and "Devotion" and tops these with his biggest in "Platinum Blonde."

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At the popular seaside resort of Egnor (where the King went to recuperate from his serious illness) horses and ponies have practically driven out the homely donkey for riding along the sands. Pony clubs, too, have grown in numbers all over the country.

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THE LATE MR. ELLAMS.

LARGE GATHERING OF FRIENDS AT FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Mr. G. E. Ellams, Secretary of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, who died at the Canossa Hospital on Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon at the Protestant Cemetery. The Rev. N. V. Halward officiated.

The esteem in which deceased was held was demonstrated by the large number of friends who gathered to pay their last respects, amongst those present at the grave-side being Capt. Madden (s.s. Talshan), Capt. A. W. Muir (s.s. Tung On), Capt. W. E. Kirby (Secretary of the China Coast Officers' Guild), Mr. J. R. Kinghorn (Superintendent Engineer of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire), Capt. D. Skinner (Marine Superintendent of Jardine, Matheson & Co.), Hon. Mr. C. G. Mackie, and Messrs. M. K. Lo, Li Tze-fong, G. E. S. Upadell, S. H. Ross, Alan Keith, E. Cock, F. A. Redmond, W. J. Collum, J. D. Humphreys, A. D. Humphreys, T. G. S. Alexander, H. G. Williams, T. A. Robertson, J. H. Seth, Lo Kai-hong (Comptroller of the Steamboat Company), H. da Luz, A. A. Noronha, R. A. da Souza and M. S. Au.

The Hongkong Cricket Club has forwarded \$10 to the Hongkong Benevolent Society, in lieu of sending a wreath to the funeral of the late Mr. G. E. Ellams. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Greenhill, and "J.B." have also forwarded \$5 to the Society in memory of Mr. Ellams.

Among the wreaths sent were those from:
"Olive" (sister), "Norman" (brother), "Mac" (brother-in-law), "Bill," and "Jack."
Hon. Mr. C. G. Mackie Hon. Mr.

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ALMOST RESCUED

EFFORT TO RELEASE NANCHANG OFFICERS

Nowchwang, July 19.
Japanese and Manchukuo troops almost secured the release to-day of the three kidnapped British officers of the Buttorfield and Swire steamer, Nanchang.

The troops attacked the pirates' stronghold at Fanshan and burnt their houses and seven of their junks. Twenty pirates were killed in the encounter.

The troops found an English newspaper and Mr. Hargrave's pipe, but the pirates escaped Northward, taking the British officers with them and later joining up with a larger band.

The captive officers are Messrs. A. D. Blue, W. E. Hargrave and Clifford Johnson. Several attempts had previously been made to rescue them, but all proved fruitless.—*Reuter*.

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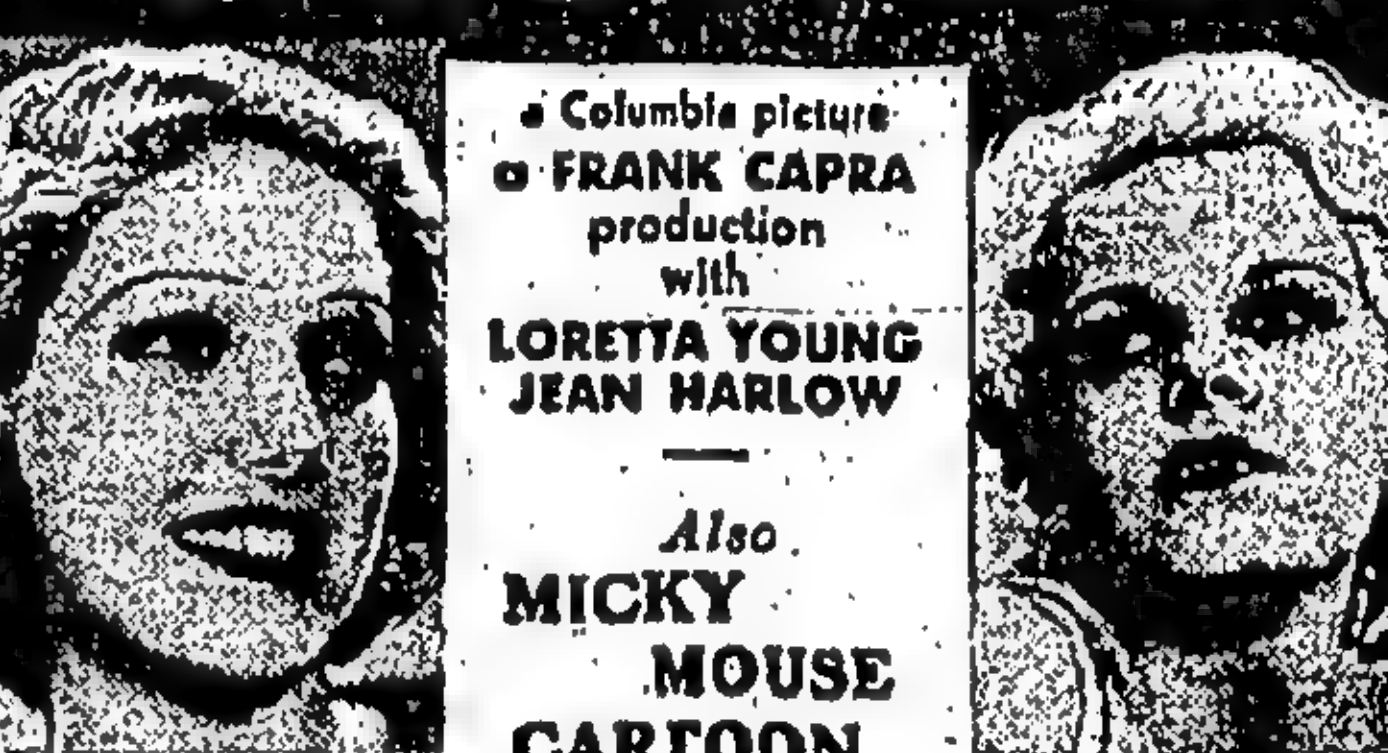
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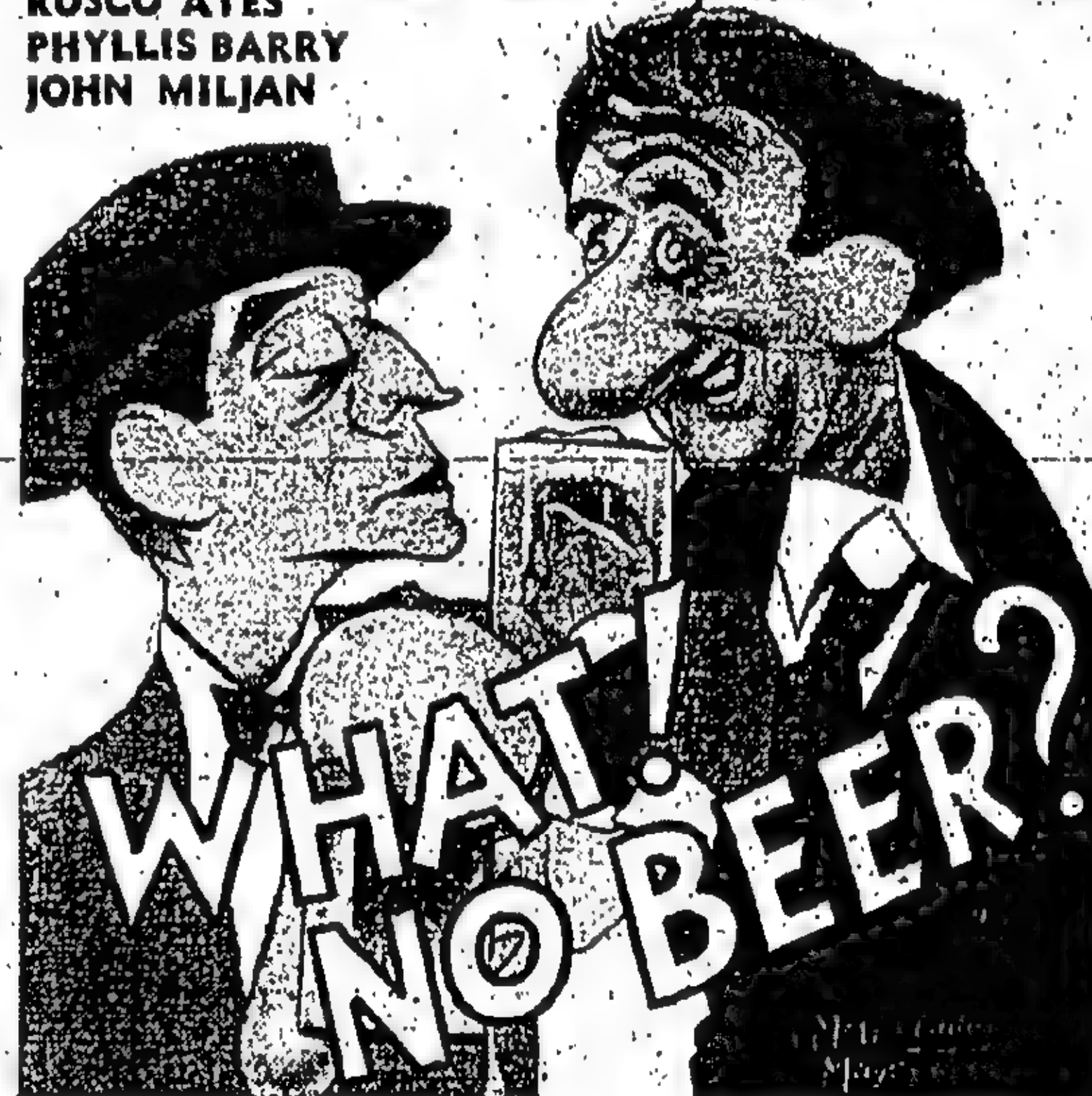
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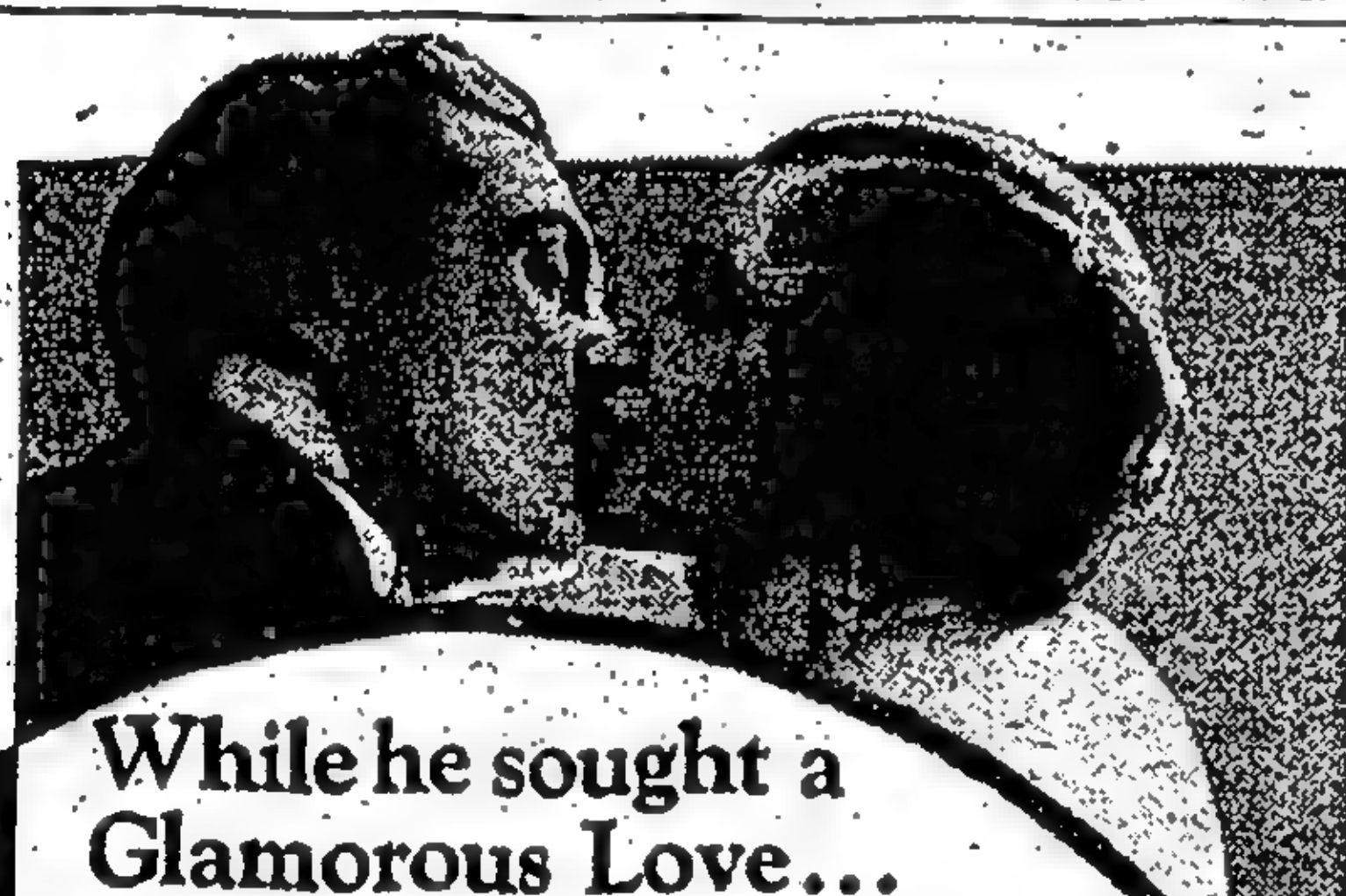
The municipality has a modern jail but prisoners are few and far between. Even when there are prisoners, no expense to the town arises. The town marshal simply feeds the culprits from his own table and says nothing about it. The population of Blythe is about 600.—*Reuter*.

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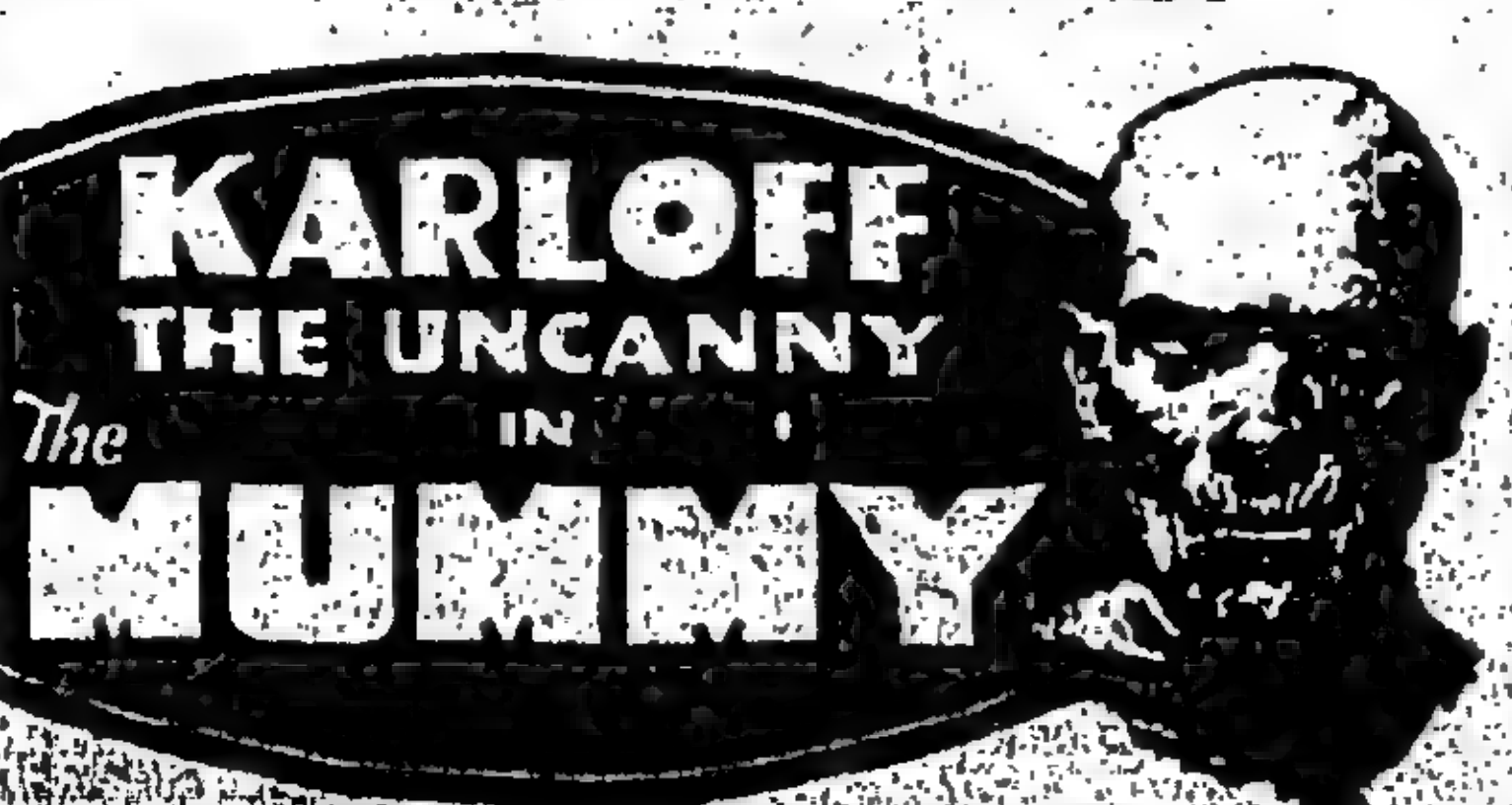
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NEW FACTS ABOUT THE CABARET CURFEW HOUR

TROTSKY AGAIN IN ILL-HEALTH

Permission to Live On Riviera

Paris, July 19.
The French Government
have authorised M. Leon
Trotsky, the man without a
country, to reside in the
South of France, including
Corsica, for reasons of
health.—*Reuter*.

ALTRUISM OR HONESTY?

BRITAIN'S BOND OFFER

MEETS A MORAL OBLIGATION

London, July 20.

The fate of hundreds of British
investors in foreign securities,
who lost up to four-fifths of their
capital owing to devaluation of
currencies, is vividly recalled by
the Treasury dollar-security ex-
change offer.

The offer concerns the issue of
gold bonds to the value of \$250-
000,000 in the United States in
1917 for the purchase of munitions
by the British Government.

The terms of the issue stipulated
that the interest and the principal
were to be paid in gold dollars or
in sterling at the option of the
holders.

MORAL OBLIGATION.

When Britain abandoned the
gold standard, the holders natural-
ly exercised their option in favour
of the payment of the interest in
gold dollars.

Since the United States abro-
gated the gold clause, however,
Britain is legally no longer bound
to pay in gold dollars.

The Treasury offer is due to the
moral obligation to see that the
holders of the bonds are not de-
prived, through the legislation of
another country, of the benefits
which were intended when they
entered into the contract.

A FAIR OFFER.

The Government's offer does not
profess to place the holder in his
original advantageous position,
but it is regarded as a very fair
offer. It is also an effort to re-
patriate the loan.

The offer, briefly, is exchange of
£250 of 2½ per cent. bonds, pay-
able in 1937, for \$1,000 of 5½ per
cent. bonds payable at the same
time.

Its effect will be to increase the
principal from £23,000,000 to £35-
000,000 and to reduce the annual
interest from £1,540,000 to £886-
000.

The net loss to the Government
as a result of the offer will be
about £9,400,000.—*Reuter*.

HIS MAJESTY'S COPYRIGHT

WARNING ISSUED TO AUTHORS

London, July 20.

His Majesty the King owns the
copyright in Government documents
prepared for him and also in the
King's correspondence, according to
a statement issued from Bucking-
ham Palace to-day declaring that
the unauthorised publication of such
documents infringes the Copyright
Act.

The warning is issued as a check
to indiscretions by certain political
authors.—*Reuter*.

NOT AN ORDER, A REQUEST

PROPRIETORS THINK OF THE FUTURE

AND ACQUIESCE

INTERESTING REVELATIONS HAVE BEEN
FORTHCOMING AS THE OUTCOME OF EN-
QUIRIES REGARDING THE SOURCE OF THE
POWERS TAKEN BY THE POLICE TO IMPOSE A
UNIFORM CURFEW HOUR UPON LOCAL
CABARETS.

The *Telegraph* now has reason to believe that such
powers do not exist in the Ordinances of the Colony,
that action has been taken in anticipation of Regula-
tions now being drafted and the midnight closure is in
operation, not as the result of an order, but of a specific
request by the police with which the proprietors have
seen fit to comply.

It is well-known that provisions for licensing
dancing establishments will form part of the proposed
regulations, and it is suggested that this knowledge has
been the most influential factor in securing the
acquiescence of the cabarets in the curfew request.

I.G.P. AND THE "TELEGRAPH"

We understand, in fact, that lest
they should be under any mis-
apprehension in the matter, the
attention of the proprietors was
drawn to the proposal to insert a
licence requirement in the regu-
lations being prepared, and that
it was allowed to be inferred that
co-operation with the police at this
stage might facilitate the granting
of a licence when applications were
made.

The general attitude of the pro-
prietors as a result is this: "We
are going to cooperate with the
police because we have the future
to consider."

POLICE ATTITUDE

A *Telegraph* representative was
this morning sent to Police Head-
quarters for the express purpose
of enquiring as to the accuracy of
this view of the existing situation.

The desire was to be perfectly
fair, to give the police an op-
portunity of confirming or deny-
ing the suggestions.

The Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe,
Inspector General of Police, stated
that he was not prepared to say
anything, adding, "The *Telegraph*
has taken the side of the cabarets
in its leading articles, has said we
are in the wrong and has practi-
cally stated that action is contem-
plated."

NO INFORMATION.

"It is in view of that that I am
going to give you no information
at all. You are trying to find out
what our case is. You definitely
try and attempt to say we are
wrong and now are trying to find
out our position."

"You have also practically given
people the tip to take action."

"You state that we haven't any
grounds for the action we have
taken but we say we have. We
would not have acted as we did
unless we were sure we were fully
justified in doing so."

"We are prepared to stand by
what we have done and that is all
I am prepared to say."

THE COMMENT.

The Hon. Mr. Wolfe's reference
to a "tip to take action" apparently
refers to a comment made yester-
day as follows:

"Meanwhile, an enquiry has
been made regarding the source
of the powers taken by the police
to impose the curfew. It is sug-
gested that a test case might prove
interesting."

But in view of the decision of

development seems unlikely to occur.
The attitude of the cabaret
owners is not difficult to ap-
preciate.

None the less they are fully alive
to the very serious effect the cur-
few is having on their business,
and feel they are being called upon
to make sacrifices which can lead
only to one result—bankruptcy.

ECONOMIC ASPECT.

The issues involved in the
problem of cabarets are consid-
erably more than legal and moral.
There is an economic aspect,
although we do not desire to stress
this unduly.

In the course of investigations
the *Telegraph* learned that over 500
people depend on cabarets for
their living. This livelihood,
under the existing order of mid-
night closing, is seriously threat-
ened. All the cabarets have ex-
perienced a decrease in business
of 50 per cent. and more, since the
Curfew was imposed and if this
continues, as it must under present
conditions, the result will be a
wholesale closing down.

The *Telegraph* was informed that
under restricted hours, running a
cabaret is ceasing to be a business
proposition. Barely enough is be-
ing taken to cover expenses.

One city cabaret entailed an
investment of over \$14,000 and
is getting no return on the out-
lay. This is solely due to early
closing.

REGULATIONS FORECAST.

According to reports, there is
little prospect of the cabarets
being given much greater freedom
when the regulations come into
force.

The *Telegraph* understands, from
an unofficial source, that the regu-
lations will demand a midnight
closing of all licensed dancing
academies, but that an extension
of hours will be possible by per-
mission of the authorities.

It is also likely that the Regula-
tions will place restrictions on
dancing partners. Already to en-
courage the right type of dancing
girl, adequate wages are paid and
the partners are treated with every
consideration.

FREE AGENTS.

Contrary to impressions in some
quarters, the girls are perfectly
free agents, and can refuse to
dance with any patron
if he is considered undesirable.
The system of employing a dancing
partner for a night has also been
increased.



Princess Mary inspecting a Guides guard of honour when H.R.H. laid the foundation stone of the new Brentwood District Hospital. The Princess Royal has been ordered a long rest. She is suffering from acute fatigue caused by too many public engagements.

No Trans- Atlantic Air Service Yet

STATEMENT BY SIR PHILIP SASSOON

London, July 19.

The Parliamentary Under-
Secretary for Air, Sir Philip Sas-
soon, stated in the House of Com-
mons that representatives of the
Governments in the United King-
dom, Canada and Newfoundland
had been conferring on certain
general questions affecting the
possible future organisation of air
services to and from Newfound-
land.

He was not in a position to
give any more detailed informa-
tion at this stage but to prevent
misunderstanding he had better
perhaps emphasize that no con-
crete scheme for a trans-Atlantic
service was at present under dis-
cussion.—*British Wireless*.

SHEN HUNG-LIEH ADAMANT

DECLINES TO RETURN TO TSINGTAO

Weihsui, July 20.

Admiral Shen Hung-lieh, Mayor
of Tsingtao and Commander-in-
Chief of the North-Eastern aqua-
dron, who arrived here by motor
from Tsingtao on Tuesday evening,
does not intend returning to
Tsingtao, the Mayorality of which
he is apparently resigning.

Yesterday evening sixteen pro-
minent officials from Tsingtao, and
six officials from Chefoo, called on
Admiral Shen and urged him to
return to Tsingtao. The Admiral
however, adamantly refused.—*Reuter*.

TWO TYPHOONS

ONE FORMING NEAR HONGKONG

The Royal Observatory reports
that pressure is highest in the
Pacific to the southeast of Japan.
The trough of low pressure
extends from Indo-China to the
Western Carolines.

A typhoon is centred to the
south-east of Oshima, and another
appears to be developing between
Fraser Island and the Hawaiian
Islands.
Local forecast: East to north.

DUTCH CAMPAIGN AGAINST NAZIS

Leader Expelled From Country

The Hague, July 19.

All German Nazi organi-
sations in Holland have
been dissolved on orders
from the Ministry of
Justice.

The principal Nazi
leader, Herr Tyffens, who
has been expelled from the
country, has established his
headquarters at Aix-la-
Chapelle, on the other side
of the border.—*Reuter*.

U.S. BUSINESS MAGNATE SHOT BY KIDNAPPERS

Resistance Results in Serious Wounds

Philadelphia, July 19.

Frank A. McClatchy, brother and
business partner of John McClatchy,
the millionaire builder and real
estate agent, has been seriously in-
jured.

He was shot whilst resisting two
kidnappers, and is now in hospital
in a grave condition.—*Reuter*.

SPEED-BOAT DASH IN CHANNEL

"WHITE CLOUD" SETS A RECORD

London, July 19.

Mr. Angus Miller, an ex-naval
officer, made a double crossing of
the Channel from Dover to-day in
his speedboat "White Cloud" in one
hour and forty five seconds, thus
breaking the record of sixty five
minutes set up by Kaye Don.—*British Wireless*.

CLYDE GETS BIG ORDERS

LARGE CONTRACTS UNDER WAY

London, July 19.

Contracts for ships and machi-
nery placed recently with Clyde
shipbuilding and engineering firms
amount to about £45,000,000 and
the work is already in progress, stated
Captain Wallace, Clydeside.

ANOTHER NEAR RIOT

WILD CROWD AT BASEBALL

SITUATION SAVED BY POLICE

New York, July 19.

A reversed decision pre-
cipitated a near riot in the first
game of a double header be-
tween Pittsburgh and New
York Giants in the National
Baseball League to-day.

The game was delayed for a
quarter of an hour whilst 22,000
spectators milled around the
stands and the players angrily
argued with the umpires.
Happily there were no injuries
and no arrests necessary due to
the prompt intervention of the
Police.

The double header was of great
importance, as the New York
Giants and Pittsburgh are occupy-
ing first and second positions
respectively in the National Le-
ague.

Pittsburgh won the match fea-
tured by the disturbance, scoring
four runs to the Giants' single.
In this game the Giants were
guilty of two errors, and made
eight hits to the winners' nine.

In the second game, New York
scored seven times to Pittsburgh's
three and were errorless. Pitts-
burgh, however, committed three
errors and made a dozen hits as
compared with ten by the Giants.
—*Reuter*.

THOSE CHINA LOAN RUMOURS

Again Current in Nanking

Nanking, July 20.

Reports are again current that
the Finance Minister, T. V. Soong,
has negotiated a loan with the
British Government for a large
sum. The money will be used
for the purchase of British iron
and steel, for a vast building pro-
gramme in China.

It is learned that the Ministry
of Railways, through its vice-
minister, Tseng Chung-ming, has
negotiated a similar loan with the
French Government for the ex-
tension schemes in China. Mr.
Tseng Chung-ming is one of the
few Chinese government officials

BRIGHTER SILVER OUTLOOK

UNANIMOUS ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION

ONUS UPON BIG EIGHT

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, July 19.

Earlier reports that ef-
forts to achieve a silver
agreement have entirely failed
do not correctly re-
present the position.

The Big Eight, the silver pro-
ducing countries and the principal
holding countries have almost
reached an agreement, United
States and Chinese officials in-
formed the *United Press*.

A meeting is being held at ten
o'clock to-morrow morning (Thurs-
day) in an attempt to consolidate
the progress already made.
Canada is now apparently the
stumbling block to an agreement,
with Mexico a close second.

CANADA'S VIEW.

They are now desirous to ab-
sorb what others consider to be
adequate shares of their surplus
production.

Meanwhile, the Silver Sub-Com-
mittee, comprising the Big Eight,
and Britain, Holland, Italy and
Japan, met to-day and unanimously
agreed to the much and often
revised draft of the general silver
resolution, the text of which is as
follows:

RECOMMENDATIONS.

"Be it resolved to recommend to
all the governments that are
parties to the conference,

(1) that an agreement be sought
between the chief silver producing
countries and those countries
which are the largest holders or
users of silver with a view to
mitigating the fluctuations in the
price of silver and that other na-
tions not parties to such an agree-
ment should refrain from mea-
sures which could appreciably
affect the silver market.

(2) that the Governments par-
ties to this conference shall re-
frain from new legislative mea-
sures which would involve the
further debasement of their silver
coinage below the fineness of 800-
1000.

(3) that they shall substitute
silver coins for low value paper
currency insofar as the budgetary
and the local conditions of each
country will permit.

EXCEPTIONS.

(4) that all the provisions of this
resolution are subject to the fol-
lowing exceptions and limita-
tions:—The requirements of such
provisions shall lapse on April 1st
1934 if the agreement recom-
mended in (1) does not come into force
by the date and in no case shall
extend beyond January 1st, 1935.
Governments may take any action
relative to their silver coinage
they may deem necessary to
prevent the flight or the destruc-
tion of their silver coinage by re-
ason of a rise in the bullion price
of the silver content of their coin
above the nominal or parity value
of such silver coins.

DESPERATE STRUGGLE.

Efforts to reach international
agreements regarding coffee and
sugar have collapsed, while the
wheat and silver countries have
had to struggle desperately to
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adjourned without positive results.
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Hollywood.—The right blouse can set off a costume this year in miraculous manner.

Patricia Ellis wears a butterfly blouse of white organdie with an ankle-length, built-up waistline crepe skirt for late afternoon wear. Topping the same skirt with a beaded, sleeveless little surplice bodice, she has a perfect dinner costume. It's a trick Hollywood girls know.

Benita Hume, wore a stunning dinner costume, the same type of black skirt with high-waisted cut, and a blouse of shadow lace with big puffed sleeves. The skirt was ankle length.

Low-heeled shoes are adopted for sports by practically everybody this year. Ginger Rogers, wore grey trench shoes for golfing, a grey and green suede jacket with round, collarless neck, a grey flannel skirt and green chamouis hat.

Old-fashioned off-the-shoulder décolletages are new. Marlene Dietrich has a black taffeta gown with the neckline slipping off the shoulders to form tiny ruffled puffed sleeves. She wears taffeta gloves with flaring gauntlets of ruffles, too.

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that commands mean quick action. He must learn respect for his par-ents—not fear, but respect.

Once a mother shows weakness, she shows her hand. Her child knows that she is afraid—afraid of losing his love. Instantly that puts him in command of the situa-tion and, make no mistake, he will seize it.

Such children are fine and sweet tempered when everything is going their way, but cross them and out comes the impudence, the rages, the sulks, or some sort of devilishness that the spoiled mind seems to find such a delight in. These things are all "compensa-tions" for thwarted will.

There will be no thwarted will if parents begin in babyhood to make it understood they are the captains of the family. To get love, respect, and trust—they must be humane and loving captains, of course, but they must make it clearly understood that there will be no nonsense.

Merge Love With Control

If they are going to officer their children by overlooking all

breaches, sign leaves of absence every hour, be blind to non-salu-taries, and generally hand out dis-pensations they cannot expect their small armies either to ob-serve discipline or respect them. Unless there is a favour insight the children will not obey. And even then it is questionable.

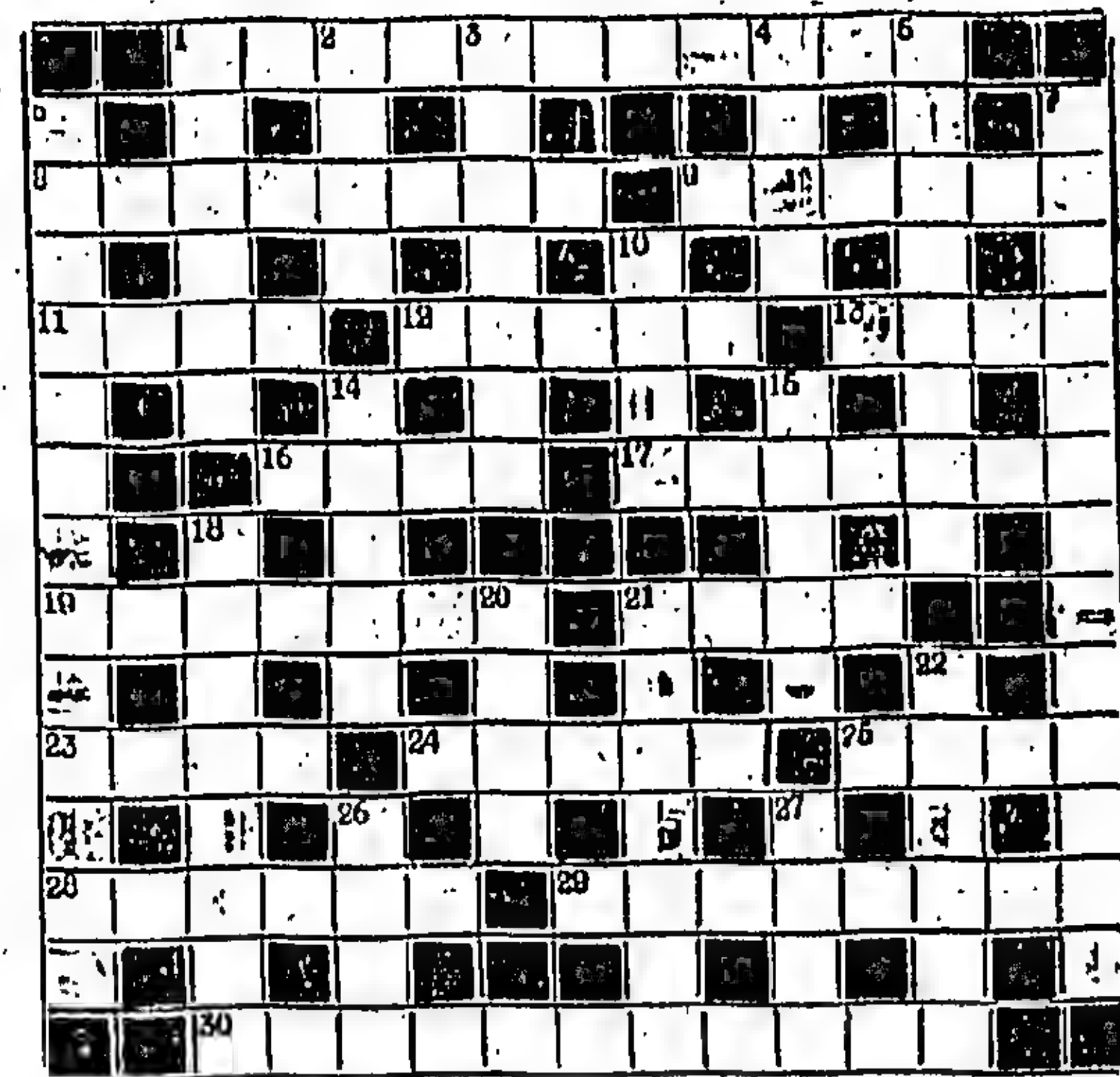
How different it is to merge the two things, love and control. It is strange that love depends so much upon respect, and respect, in turn, upon intelligent control but such is the case.

When a child is impudent there is something terribly wrong. El-ther he is over-indulged or over-controlled. Despotism sometimes causes impudence from sheer de-fence. An impudent child, how-ever, is telling a sad story of mis-management.

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ACROSS

- 1 Lessening.
- 8 You'll have to make a bid for the particular steaks you require (two words).
- 9 Art, though backward, must be in wrong surroundings to attain such a force.
- 11 Why should this part of the anatomy be commonly known as cheek?
- 12 Plunder which, after tea, be-comes quite a minor matter.
- 13 The inside of this sometimes goes against the grain.
- 16 Stopt. You'll need support here.
- 17 Fever.
- 19 Quite a popular game on the bowling green.
- 21 A trick not confined solely to the conjurer.
- 23 Instrument.
- 24 Trifle: and a good one is sure to be popular.
- 25 There may be very good action in a leap.
- 28 Biblical mountain.
- 29 Half-yearly accounts for the girl inside.
- 30 Trace up score (anag.).

DOWN

- 1 Discover this if you like. I've added to it to assist the police.
- 2 Avoid drawing the sergeant's attention.
- 3 If set down in sufficiently you'll naturally have to develop.
- 4 This notion means to change in its manner of speech.
- 5 The backbone of certain Dominions, though they may be often caught woolgathering.

- 6 I'm afraid this is not meant for a clue, but it will have to do.
- 7 "Ocean cable nil," and we can't hide the fact now that wireless is such a strong competitor (anag.).
- 10 Stick to it and it will stick to you.
- 14 Make of ear.
- 16 Place in which you can always get a meal (of dates—the mixed up kind).
- 18 Neither you nor I have ever seen this animal alive.
- 20 Enervates.
- 21 Healthier.
- 22 A hundred clowns come to blows.
- 26 Powder.
- 27 Join.

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CHAPTER XXXVII

Had she really heard Arthur Mackenzie say those words or was she dreaming? Monnie, facing her fingers in her lap, gave him a direct, almost childlike look.

"I don't understand," she faltered. "You're going back to New York. But Miss Anstee and I plan, as you know, to start for Paris next week."

"I know," he said firmly. "I know all that. There was eagerness in his tone. 'You can see Paris any time. Next month—next year—with me. Yes, Monica, I am asking you to marry me.'"

The colour flared up in her cheeks. She was tense. "But that's impossible. I told you—"

He interrupted her with a sweeping gesture. "I know. You told me about the young man back home whom you swore to love for ever. Well, what's happened—is this, as I see it. Either he's forgotten about you—which I doubt, as I scarcely think you would have engaged for a fool—or he's got entangled with someone else. Either way he's lost his chance. Monica, I'm in love with you. Does that sound absurd from me—with all you know about me?"

There must have been something tell-tale about her expression for Mackenzie's smile was grim.

"I know you've heard plenty. Gossip aboard ship. I won't attempt to deny any of it. I've not been an angel. You must know that. Women—well, we won't go into that. It's all past. I have never asked a woman to marry me before, believe that. There's something about you, Monica," he told her, his voice softening, "that makes me want to do things for you—show you the bright places of the earth."

"That's kind," she murmured, flashing him a smile.

"It's not," he assured her. "Pure selfishness, that's what it is. I want to see your eyes shine like a

child seeing its first Christmas tree."

"Am I so naive?" asked Monnie, struck by this picture of herself.

He threw out his hands. "It's not that exactly. You're—oh, so fresh and unspoiled. I never knew there was anyone like you in the world. You give me back some touch of my youth—some faith I'd lost. D'you know," he went on in a slightly altered tone, "d'you know what Cornish Fane-way said to me when first she saw you? On the deck that first day. Do you remember?"

"I remember," said Monnie, thinking of Cornish's cynical eyes.

"She said, 'who's the little baggage? Paying excess on her this time?'"

Monnie's colour was high, her voice angry. "How could she?" He shrugged. "She knew me—my reputation. She assumed there was something between us, but I soon put her straight on that. I knew then that what I felt for you was different because when she said that I wanted to knock her down—"

He fell into an instant's musing. "What do you say, Monica?" he asked with a boy's eagerness.

She gave him a level glance. "I can't answer you now," she told him. "I must have time to think."

"I'm not very patient, you know," he reminded her, smiling, assured. "I'm used to putting things through quickly."

She had a glimpse for an instant of what her life would be if she put her hand in his. Smooth sailing, always. He would be ruthless. She would have what she wanted materially but her very thoughts would be owned by him. Did she want that? She shivered.

"Cold?"

She shook her head.

"You're not smiling a bit."

"Too excited, I guess," she said. "You've—you've taken me off my feet."

He laughed, delightedly. "Such a baby!"

"And you leave to-morrow," she mused, staring beyond him, not really seeing the soft pale colours of the room, the mirrors reflecting the images of well-dressed, soft-voiced people. This was his life, she thought. A succession of smooth-paced events, money paying the way for all manner of luxury, luxury without ostentation, Arthur Mackenzie's wife would be a sort of queen in her own right. Doors would open for her. The ways would be made pleasant. The temptation came to her to surrender. It would all be so easy. No more money worries, no more snubs. She could do so

much for all of them at home. Her mother, Kay, the others. Why did she hesitate? "I must," she murmured, "have a little time. To think things over."

"Ah, time!" He threw out one strong brown hand in an impatient gesture. "We've known each other—how long is it? Two weeks? Three? Enough, anyway. Don't let's waste the precious minutes, Monica. Life is so short."

But she was stubborn, for once. She was not so pliable in this man's hands as she might once have been.

"I can't tell you now," she persisted. "Later."

"Then you won't go back with me?" His face darkened. "We could be married by special licence to-morrow. Never mind how—I could arrange it. You could sail with me and in January, when all this business of the loan is finished

we could come back to Paris together. I've wanted to show you Paris. Remember—I said that from the start?"

"I remember!" Amber eyes flashed at him.

"Monica, you darling! Don't disappoint me now."

She trembled, feeling this man's power, his attraction. "Give me until morning," she pleaded at last, in answer to his importunities. "Telephone me at nine."

"The boat train," he reminded her, "leaves at 11. That makes it short." But his eyes were glowing as with triumph. He felt himself master of the situation. "You can throw a few things into a dressing case, can't you? And Miss Corey can send your trunk later."

The girl begged to be taken back to her hotel early, for by this time she was actually almost ill with

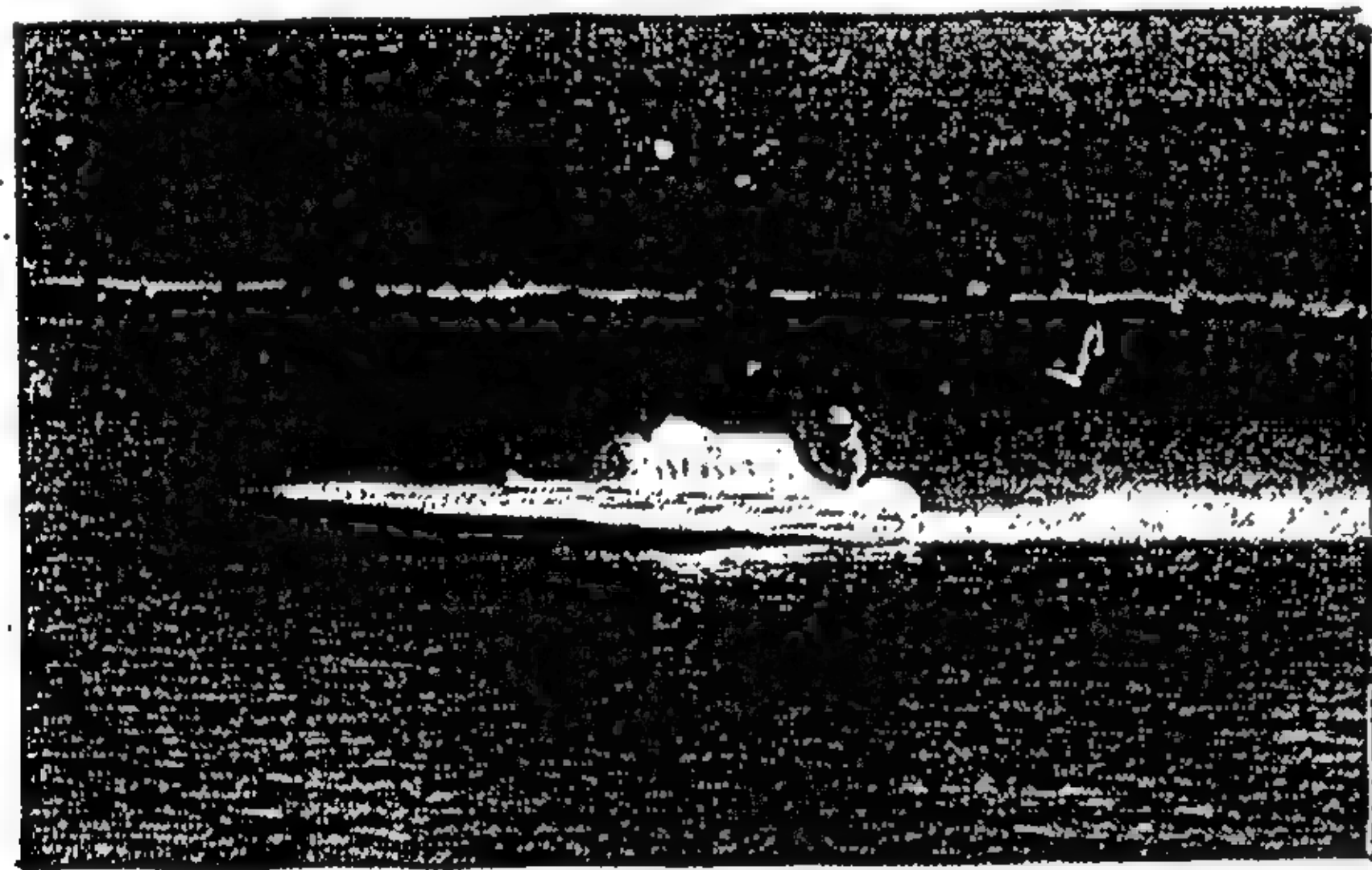
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Colonel John C. Beaumont, successor to the late Colonel Fred D. Kilgore as head of the Fourth Marines, arrived in Shanghai last week on the S.S. President Jefferson. He was welcomed at the Bund by a Guard of Honour, while Lieutenant-Colonel E. P. Moses, active commander of the Marines, had previously gone to the boat to greet him. Above on the left is shown a "close up" of the new military chief who was dressed in civilian attire, while, at the right, Colonel Beaumont is shown as he reviewed the Guard of Honour, composed of the First Battalion of the Marines. With Colonel Beaumont in the review was Major John Doxey, commanding officer of the First Battalion.



VOLUNTEERED DINNER. "H" Company, Shanghai Volunteer Corps, comprised entirely of Jewish members, held a successful dinner in the Jewish Club recently at which Col. N. W. B. E. Thoms was the guest of honour. Group taken during the evening's proceedings.



Prince Carlo Maurizio Ruspoli, has set up a new speed record for six litre craft on Lake Como, Italy. This picture was taken as he travelled at speed during the successful attempt. (Planet News).



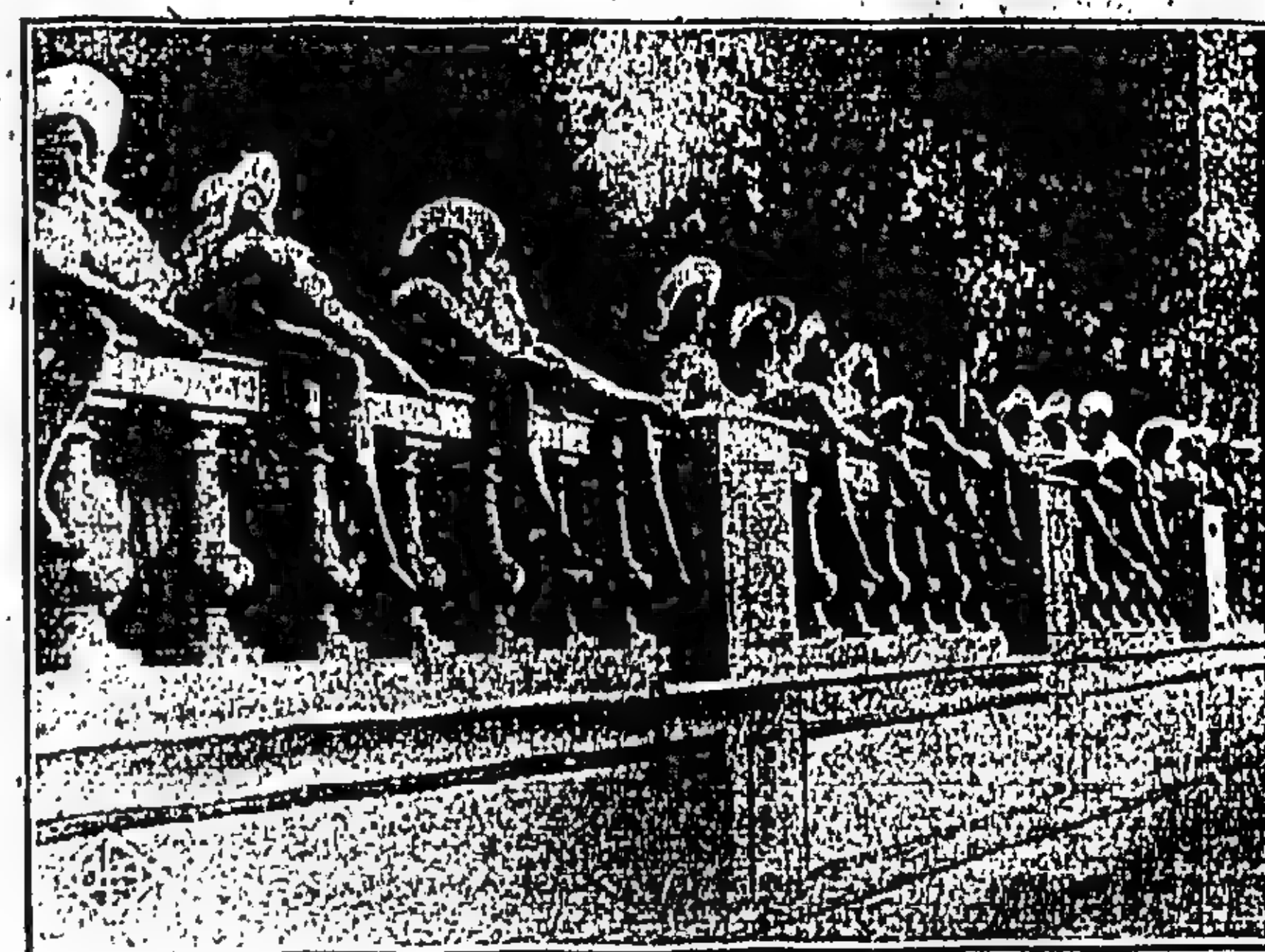
RECENT WEDDING. Mr. Robert Charles Andrews and his bride, Miss Agripina Philipova, who were married at the Shanghai Union Church last week. The honeymoon is being spent in Japan.



RUSSIAN CONCERT. Members of the Russian community in Shanghai gave a delightful concert at the Lyceum Theatre recently to contribute towards the relief of Russian Culture. The United Wagner Choir and the Terek-Cossack Choir sang specially well in their numbers and the balalaika items were another interesting feature.

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The deposits of the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them. Form of tender and further particulars can be obtained from the office of the Director of Public Works.

The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

A. G. W. TICKLE, Director of Public Works. Hongkong, 14th July, 1933.

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- 7.—Photographs which must not be less than 2½ x 3½ (excepting in the Children's Section) should be printed in black and white, with the name of the competitor in ink on the back.
- 8.—No correspondence will be entered into in connexion with the Competition.
- 9.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age, and address on the back in ink, countersigned by a parent.
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WIDOW'S ALLEGATIONS AGAINST MAN

Chan Chung, a paint scraper, was acquitted by Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon, on a charge of having committed an indecent assault on a widow, Li Kum, at 43, Third Street, and on an alternative charge of common assault.

The incident is alleged to have occurred about 3.30 a.m. on July 10. The complainant, in evidence, stated that she was aroused by the defendant getting into her bed. She seized hold of defendant, who broke away, and she went to the kitchen when she again got hold of him and struck him.

Two other witnesses, the complainant's twelve year old son, and another woman gave evidence, but not of the actual incident itself, except to say that there was a disturbance, and that the complainant seized defendant and struck him, accusing him of an indecent act.

The defendant denied the accusation, saying that he got up about 3 a.m. and while on his way to the kitchen, accidentally knocked against complainant's foot. The complainant immediately got out of bed, and seized hold of him.

Mr. Schofield discharged the defendant, remarking that defendant's evidence appeared to be quite straightforward, and that complainant might have been dreaming when defendant knocked against her foot.

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Japan and Shanghai	Fushimi Maru	July 21.
Japan	Kamo Maru	July 21.
Australia and Manila	Kitano Maru	July 21.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	July 21.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 23rd June)	Pres. Pierce	July 21.
Shanghai and Swatow	Somali	July 21.
Straits	Soochow	July 22.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 3rd July)	Aeneas	July 23.
Manila	Tjikarang	July 23.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 30th June)	Emp. of Russia	July 24.
Calcutta and Straits	Pres. Grant	July 24.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 29th June—and Parcels, 22nd June	Alhava	July 25.
Straits	Ranchi	July 26.
Japan and Shanghai	Tokushima Maru	July 26.
Shanghai	Chichibu Maru	July 28.
Japan	Dardanus	July 28.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakodate Maru	July 28.
Japan	Ixion	July 28.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranpura	July 28.
Straits	Tokwa Maru	July 28.
Calcutta and Straits	General Forthing	July 28.
Japan	Rhesus	July 28.
Straits	Suisang	July 28.
Japan	Nellore	July 30.
Straits	Helenus	July 31.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
	Thursday.	
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	Thurs., July 20, 4 p.m.
Saloon and *Europe via Marseilles Aramis		Thurs., July 20.
(Due Marseilles, 22nd August)		
	K. P. O.	
Reg.,	July 20, 3 p.m.	
Letters,	July 20, 4.30 p.m.	
	Friday	
Japan	Kitano Maru	Fri., July 21, 9.30 a.m.
Hohow	Yingchow	Fri., July 21, 10 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Taiping	Fri., July 21
via Thursday Island	Parcels,	July 20, 5 p.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 1st Aug.)	Reg.,	July 21, 9.45 a.m.
Hainan	Canton	Fri., July 21, 2 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Fri., July 21, 3 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Hakusan Maru	Fri., July 21, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Pierce	Fri., July 21, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C., and *Europe via Siberia	Parcels,	July 21, 3 p.m.
(Due Victoria B.C., 8th August)	Reg.,	July 21, 4.15 p.m.
Letters for “Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service”	Somali	Fri., July 21.
	K. P. O.	
Reg.,	July 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters,	July 21, 4.30 p.m.	
	Saturday.	
Straits, *Ceylon, *India, *Mauritius Somali		Sat., July 22.
*East and *South Africa, *Aden, *Egypt and *Europe via Marseilles		(Due Marseilles, 23rd August)
	K.P.O.	
Reg.,	July 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters,	July 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Kamo Maru	Sat., July 22
via Thursday Island	Reg.,	July 21, 5 p.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 3rd August)	Letters,	July 22, 9 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Fushimi Maru		Sat., July 22,
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles		(Due Marseilles, 21st August).
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Reg.,	July 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters,	July 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Straits and Calcutta	Sirdhana	Sat., July 22,
Parcels,	Bintang	Sat., July 22, 3.30 p.m.
Bangkok, Pakhoi and Hainan	Now Mathilde	Sat., July 22, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hosan Maru	Sun., July 23, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kaying	Sun., July 23, 9 a.m.
	Tuesday.	
*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjikarang	Tues., July 23, 9.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Hosan	Tues., July 23,
Parcels,	Letters,	July 23, 3 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., July 23, 3 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Grant	Tues., July 23, 4.30 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Emp. of Russia		Wed., July 23,
Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia	Parcels,	July 23, 5 p.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., 12th Aug.)	Reg.,	July 23, 9.15 a.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., July 23, 8.30 p.m.
	Friday.	
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The funeral of the late Mr. G. E. Ellams, Secretary of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, who died at the Canossa Hospital on Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon at the Protestant Cemetery. The Rev. N. V. Halward officiated.

The esteem in which deceased was held was demonstrated by the large number of friends who gathered to pay their last respects, amongst those present at the grave-side being Capt. Madden (s.s. Talsan), Capt. A. W. Muir (s.s. Tung On), Capt. W. E. Kirby (Secretary of the China Coast Officers' Guild), Mr. J. R. Kinghorn (Superintendent Engineer of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire), Capt. D. Skinner (Marine Superintendent of Jardine Matheson & Co.), Hon. Mr. C. G. Mackie, and Messrs. M. K. Lo, Li Tze-fong, G. E. S. Updell, S. H. Ross, Alan Keith, E. Cock, F. A. Redmond, W. J. Collum, J. D. Humphreys, A. D. Humphreys, T. G. S. Alexander, H. G. Williams, T. A. Robertson, J. H. Seth, Lo Kai-hong (compradore of the Steamboat Company), H. da Luz, A. A. Noronha, R. A. da Souza and M. S. Au.

The Hongkong Cricket Club has forwarded \$10 to the Hongkong Benevolent Society, in lieu of sending a wreath to the funeral of the late Mr. G. E. Ellams. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Greenhill, and "J.B." have also forwarded \$5 to the Society in memory of Mr. Ellams.

Among the wreaths sent were those from:

"Olive" (sister), "Norman" (brother), "Mac" (brother-in-law), "Bill" and "Jack."

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TO PRODUCE MUSICAL FARCE EARLY NEXT MONTH

A little over four years ago, to be exact, in January 1929, the Roceiro Players staged the popular farce entitled "What happened to Jones," by George H. Broadhurst at the Star Theatre, Kowloon. The show turned out a success and, if memory serves, the consensus of opinion, following newspaper write-up, was that it was the best amateur production of the season.

The producer of "Jones," Mr. M. A. de Carvalho, is now attempting something different. He is working on a farce interspersed with musical scores and dancing.

Mrs. A. W. da Roza, who is well known in musical circles here, is lending her co-operation in providing the public of Hongkong with something rather ambitious, in the way of entertainment coupled with the support of such talent as is to be found in the Portuguese community. The Hongkong public will therefore look forward to the opening night with particular interest and enthusiasm.

The "musical" to be produced next month is entitled "Madame Jotte." The plot deals (in three acts) with a ladies' tailor and what happens "Chez Jotte" at the "Cafe Bohemia." It carries a "Mannequin Parade" and three dances by the chorus.

The show will be an adaptation of the play written by Mr. Alb. P. Simoes, of Shanghai, which was produced by him at the Apollo Theatre, Shanghai, in October 1926. It revives selections from such operettas as, "Quaker Girl," "Irene," "Waltz Dream," "Vagabond King," "Merry Widow," "Balkan Princess," "Chocolate Soldier," "Betty," "Land of Smiles" and "Count of Luxembourg," which will undoubtedly bring back pleasant memories to many.

It will be interesting to judge the vehicle provided, in view of the fact that it comes from an amateur pen.

The cast includes such names as Mr. Leo d'Almada e Castro Junior (who played the title role in "Jones"), Misses Elsa D. Alves, Sylvia dos Remedios, Carmen Botelho, Olga V. Ribeiro, Edriz d'Aquino, Messrs. Gus d'Aquino, A. W. da Roza, J. M. M. Alves, Jose Basto, H. M. Britto, besides many others. Most of the names mentioned are known to the musically inclined public. The cast, which includes mannequins, dancers, and shop girls, totals 23. There will be an orchestra of 15, under the able guidance of Mr. S. Pinna.

The tentative date of the opening night is August 5, and the venue will be the Club de Recreio, and not the Star Theatre, as was originally intended.

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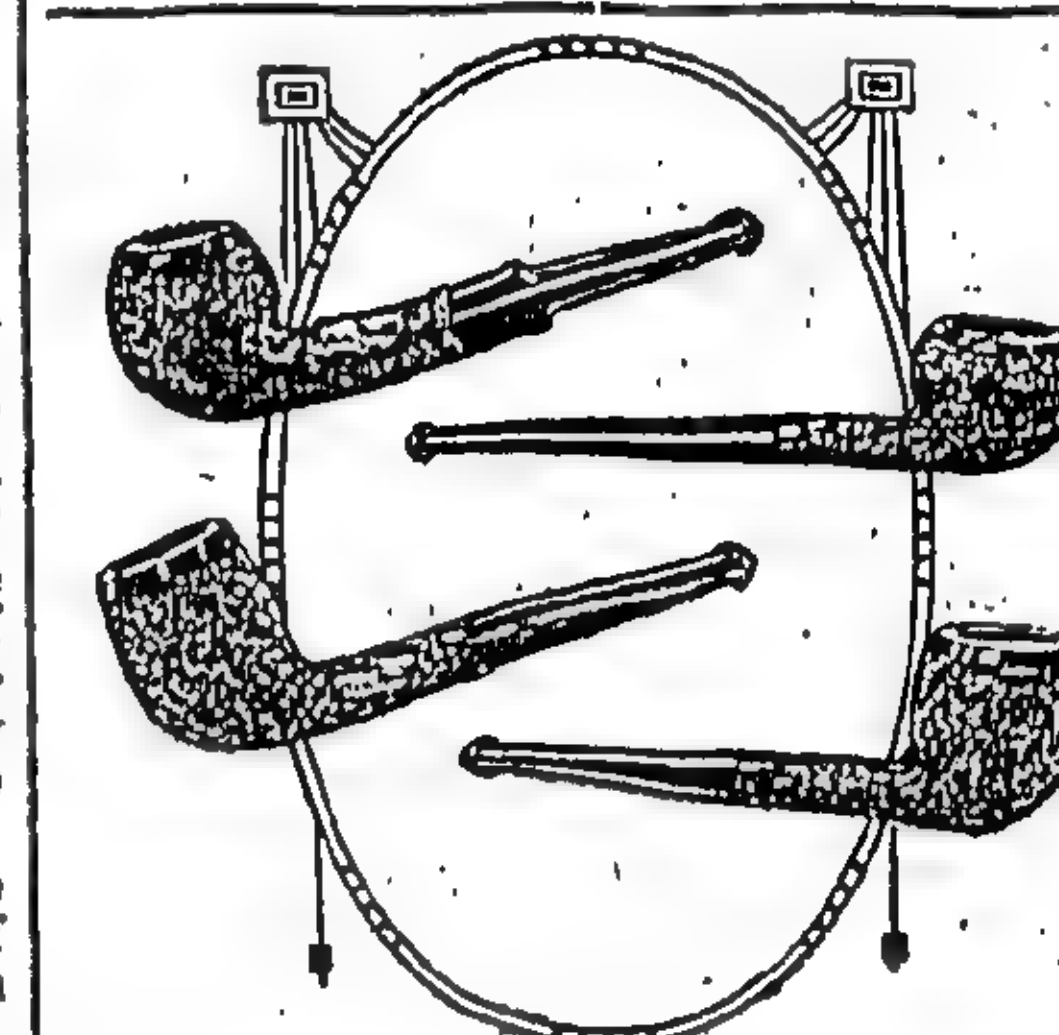
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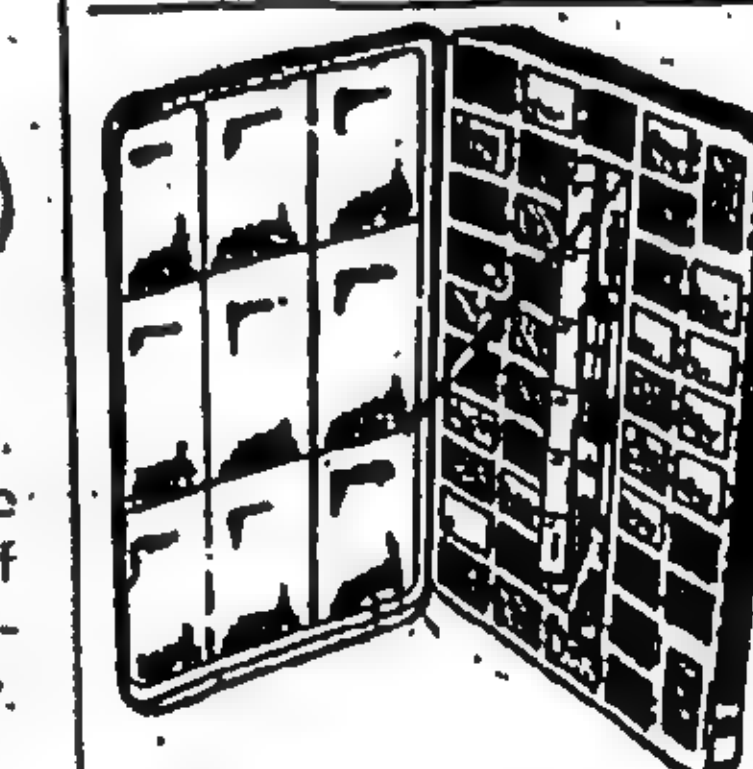
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COMMUNISM IN CHINA

The degree to which Communism may be regarded as a menace in China depends upon the point of view. An interesting sidelight on the situation in Kwangtung is provided in the article published elsewhere in this issue, revealing the justice of the contention that the cruelties of Communism are no worse than those of the soldiers sent to harry them, but for its radical attack on property and intolerance of reasoned opposition. Those who have dwelt in the communistic areas of Kiangsi, where the grip of the Reds is most firmly settled, bear no animus against the Communists, and in Chinese society generally there are signs of a disposition to say, particularly among what we might call, for want of a better term, the intelligentsia, that if forceful aims are abandoned, its tenets are worthy of consideration. They would gladly give the alternative system a trial, those who are tired of war-lords. And the transition would not be difficult. By accommodating itself to the family system, the "Gospel" of Communism would quickly spread without the class-hatred distinguishing the Russian Revolution, for the reason that class is more fluid in China than in any other country in the world. Everything in China is chaotic to the onlooker at present, but if one thing stands out clearer than another, it is that the Communist Party nucleus is the only one which has remained steadfast to its principles in all situations. It is rigidly organised. And it works not for power and wealth but for an idea. If the idea were diverted from its present direction and moulded to China's age-long civilisation, breaking adrift from the use of force, there would be distinct possibilities for good in the movement. In the quest for the ideal society, which no-one would argue exists in Western civilisation, China, after lagging behind for so many centuries, might at last find herself first in the field. Communism, spiritually blind and ruthless as it is, has at least witnessed to the reviving conviction of mankind that private advantage, at the general expense is not the purpose of human order. It is the method of seeking redress that is wrong not the material side of the philosophy behind it.

NOTES OF THE DAY

It is not every day in the week that the Sanitary Department finds itself with a deceased elephant upon its hands, which is perhaps fortunate. Three thousand, three hundred pounds of carcase is well calculated to create head-scratching and a load of worry, as well as a load upon a lorry. We cannot imagine the Head of the Sanitary Department passing a vote of thanks to the circus for providing him with such an interesting problem as the disposal of the body, even while it had the effect of demonstrating that ingenuity and resource is not the sole prerogative of those who chide our government departments. Cremation, we admit, would have been among the list of the solutions which would have occurred to us. But that, perhaps, is due to our lesser experience in the relationship between carcases and assaults to the olfactory nerves.

STERLING STANDARD

Mr. Hore-Belisha gave the obvious reply to his Commons inquisitor on the subject of an Empire currency. The need has long passed. All the principal countries within the Empire have already linked themselves with sterling, the one exception being Canada. Even Hongkong has somehow managed to get herself pegged more or less upon the sterling standard, the fluctuations of silver playing but a trifling part in its movements. It is notable that the issue has not been seriously raised since the Ottawa Conference and the motive behind the question is a trifle difficult to fathom. It would not be surprising, in fact, to find in the near future, all Empire currencies allied to sterling. The damage to Canada's interests, occasioned by the depreciation of the American dollar is a factor which cannot be ignored.

GOVERNMENT'S DUTY

The shock felt by Chinese bathers when it was indicated that Government intended to deprive them of their bathing facilities at North Point has been scarcely lessened by the subsequent official declaration that the authorities are taking active measures to find substitute benches. The news is welcome, but does not entirely allay a feeling of disquiet. The chief asset of the North Point Pavilions is their accessibility, coupled with the special transport facilities provided by the tramway company. Thousands of Chinese are affected, the majority of them living on the Island. It will therefore be grossly insufficient to offer only benches at Laichikok. The financial aspect cannot be overlooked. The Chinese bathing clubs have spent lakhs on the erection of their pavilions and other structures at North Point. Is this to be so much money thrown away? At the moment the Chinese have every reason to be nervous regarding their position, and Government has a definite responsibility.

A PUPPET KING

Creation of thrones and the coronation of kings are strange phenomena in these days of dictators and republics. And this perhaps adds pliancy to the suggested elevation of Pu Yi, the puppet head of the Manchukuo State. Pu Yi's history as the mouthpiece of Japan in Manchuria was never such to promote respect and admiration. To the world at large, the office has singularly lacked dignity, and even the title of "King" is not likely to alter this state of affairs. The Commission appointed to draft the new Manchukuo constitution has thought fit to satisfy a whim of the former boy Emperor. Beyond that his elevation will probably mean nothing. He will have the satisfaction of dressing up uniforms of varying designs and fulfilling nominal functions as titular monarch. But in state affairs, his voice, if ever lifted up, will be as one crying in the wilderness.

TENNIS IS NOT PING PONG

FROM a hanky-ponky game considered suitable only for females and weaklings, tennis has made amazing progress, until to-day it is ranked as one of the world's most strenuous sports.

DAVIS Cup contests are the International Tests of tennis, and on Friday Britain and America meet in one which promises to be one of the finest international matches on record. This article traces the progress of the game in its individual, national and international characteristics from the date of its existence in 1875.

Lawn tennis is a comparatively modern game, and its general popularity dates back only to within the last 18 or 20 years.

The introduction of the Davis Cup competition marks the start of the game's climb to popularity.

"One of our players here has offered us a cup to be a sort of international challenge cup." In those words the inauguration of the Davis Cup contest was made, and not even the name of the donor was mentioned by the 1900 chairman of the United States Lawn Tennis Association (Dr. James Dwight) when he made the announcement to the secretary of the London Tennis Association that year.

Dwight Davis, the donor, was a member of the American team of that year, and he had the unique distinction of being a member of the American team to play England for his cup in the first contest.

At the time the cup was intended as a trophy for matches between only America and England. Within the next 10 years interest in tennis grew amazingly, and the donor said then that if he had dreamt of such progress he would have had the cup beaten in gold instead of silver.

Since the first meeting, America has won the cup 10 times; Australia and France, each six; and England, five. Now the cup attracts entries from 34 nations scattered all over the world's surface.

The modern form of lawn tennis really came into existence in 1875, when Major Walter Wingfield patented the game under the ungainly name of Sphairistike. His "waist" court—the back line was much wider than the net—did not last long, for the Marylebone Cricket Club, which was the recognised sporting authority, then drew up a set of rules in 1878, which divided the court into two. Control of the game was then vested in the London Lawn Tennis Association.

In 1877 the first championship was held at Wimbledon with only 22 competitors. Now the title matches attract a crowd of more than 20,000, and the competitors are drawn from more than 15 countries.

For the first few years of the Davis Cup contests, the style of play was based on the English baseline driving game, but the Americans gradually evolved a faster and more direct means of attack. Dwight Davis and Holcombe Ward surprised their opponents with what has now become known as the American twist service, but still the Doherty brothers continued to hold sway for England.

H. L. Doherty must be classed among the really great players of the world. He was a master of the baseline game, and a champion with his ground shots. He had a wonderful record in never being beaten at Wimbledon and in Davis Cup matches.

The fast hard-hitting game of tennis, which lifted the game out of the rut, where it was regarded as being something of a feminine pastime, came with the advent of Maurice E. McLoughlin, holder of

the American singles title in 1912 and 1913.

Although Ward and Davis had exploited the hard-hitting game, the high speed cyclonic hitting, and forceful smashing were unknown until rumours of a player named McLoughlin were spread from the east coast of the United States.

Then in 1908 McLoughlin entered upon the tennis world with a burst of brilliance that earned him the popular nickname of "The California Comet." His methods transformed the game into one of brawn as well as brains.

He was one of the greatest forces in the tennis world until 1914, when W. M. Johnston defeated him in the American championship. That was the beginning of the end for McLoughlin, but he left a mark on the game which has stood the test of time.

Vines, the present holder of the world's title, follows in the footsteps of the "Comet," but good judges consider him to be the hardest hitter that the game has ever known.

In breaking through the hard forcing, overhead game of McLoughlin, Johnston again established the ground shot game, but still the net game is the final word in attack, and as such will never die out, for it is only the attacking game that will win matches.

Norman Brookes and Anthony Wilding put Australia on the tennis map by winning the Davis Cup in 1907, and then Patterson carried on the good work when he captured the world's singles title at Wimbledon in 1910.

That was his really big year, and although he played brilliant tennis after that, he never again quite reached the form he revealed that year.

It has been the same with the truly great players right down the ages, and good judges have expressed the opinion that no player can play at top form for more than seven years. After that time, they say, although they continue to play good tennis, they gradually lose form because of the great strain of match play.

The race for tennis supremacy is going on all the time, and even when nations have a winning team in the field, they continue building for the time when their champions begin to lose form.

America has led the way in team building, for within a few years of the retirement of its really great players, such as Tilden, it has produced Vines, who is regarded as the greatest player of all time. Australia is following the American methods by fostering the young players, and the selection of McGrath, Quist, and Turnbull is a notable outcome.

The selection should justify itself if it results in an improvement in their play, because it is only by meeting the best in competition that any athlete reaches the highest rung of the ladder.

Women have progressed with their game as well as the men. Suzanne Lenglen brought a new style to women's tennis by her dash.

(Continued on Page 10.)

The Very Idea!

CABARET QUESTION

By Edward Kelly, Wowner.

EVERYONE is writing and speaking about the Cabaret question in Hongkong, so we think it's our turn now.

The reason why we haven't mentioned it before is because we've been trying to find out what the question is all about.

In the course of our search, we visited some of the dens of iniquity last night. We took Pete along with us to provide the money for the practice tickets.

Several able-bodied men, who should have known better, were surreptitiously drinking lemonade through a straw when we entered a Kowloon cabaret.

Someone muttered "Police!" as we entered the doorway. And three or four young men bolted across the floor. Grabbing a woman niece, they dragged them around and around the room seeking an exit.

Editor's note: The man who muttered "Police!" must have been referring to the Fox-trot "Please," which the band was playing.

Kelly's note: They were playing an anthem.

Editor's note: You mean anthem. Kelly's note: No, anthem. Anthem some.

Shortly after 11 p.m. we had to stop dancing because we couldn't hear the band because of the radio next door.

Fortunately ZBW closed down soon afterwards and we were able to resume.

The party was getting rough. We could see "Victim," "British Incident" and "Mother of Seven" in the corner, furiously scribbling letters to the papers.

Suddenly four policemen entered, and Pete turned pale.

Editor's note: Error. You mean "pale". Kelly's note: You spoke a full quart.

And prepared to bolt.

Editor's note: Ah! A bolt from the Blue. Kelly's note: No, they were in plain clothes.

Just as the four policemen were enjoying their third dance, the alarm bell went off.

"Time, gentlemen!" said The Voice.

We walked outside into the cool, clear air. The four policemen were hideously cursing the curfew hour. A couple of doors away a party was in progress, and the uproar floated down the street. Three or four gramophones blared three or four tunes from the opposite side of the road. A taxi-driver honked the horn of his car until he disappeared around the corner. Some cats were fighting on the roof, and nearby a dog howled. The dog woke the baby of the owner of the top flat and it added its wails. Two rickshaw coolies squabbled regarding the distribution of a fare, and the two sailors who had just vacated the rickshaws staggered down the street, singing raucously. A Chinese beggar meandered along, playing a fiddle, hoping against hope that even at this late hour cumsnaw would be forthcoming. Nearby, a wire-less crank was trying to tune in Radio Paris and the mixture of music and atmospherics successfully pitted itself against the uproar from the party over the road.

We sat on the roadway with our head in our hands, and as the railway clock struck one, the cabaret proprietor came out and joined us.

"You know," he said, "the police should do something about all this noise. I haven't been able to get a wink of sleep. I guess I'll write to the papers."

We staggered away. Our search was ended. At least we knew the answer to the Cabaret question.



SLUMP IN DOLLAR

**ROOSEVELT STILL OPPOSED TO STABILISATION
BACK TO OLD PARITY**

London, July 20. Apprehensive of the effect of the "deliberate" devaluation of the American dollar upon the British tariff schedule, Conservative members of the House of Commons have tabled a resolution, urging the Government to give a further measure of safeguard where the existing benefits may be eliminated by exchange differences.

The American dollar slumped heavily to-day and reached its old parity level with the pound for the first time since Britain abandoned the gold standard.

The immediate response to this situation was speculation in London Conference circles and city circles regarding the possibility of the United States now consenting to the stabilisation of the dollar in relation to sterling.

NO STABILISATION.

A message from Washington, however, suggests that this is very unlikely.

Despite the drop of the dollar to below its old parity, it is believed in well-informed circles in Washington that President Roosevelt still considers that any stabilisation of the dollar at present would check the rise in prices in the United States.

The weakness of the dollar is attributed in New York largely to speculation in a thin market and to forward purchases of foreign currencies by American importers who are anxious to protect themselves from a further slump in American currency.

TREASURY OFFER.

Meanwhile, as a sequel to the United States going off the gold standard, the British Treasury has made an offer to exchange U.S.\$186,000,000 of 20-year 5½ per cent. gold bonds, outstanding from the loan of \$250,000,000 raised by the British Government in the United States in 1917, on the basis of \$260 of 2½ per cent. bonds, repayable in London on February 1, 1937, for every thousand dollars' worth of gold bonds. If the offer is fully accepted, the result will be an increase in the principal from \$28,000,000 to \$35,000,000 but at the same time to reduce the interest from £1,540,000 to £288,000,000.—*Reuter*.

POST FORCED TO LAND

BUT TAKES OFF AGAIN QUICKLY

Moscow, July 19. Wiley Post has again run into unfavourable weather and he will be compelled to land to-day at Rukhlovo, some seven hundred miles from Habarovsk, for which he was destined.

He decided to set off again almost immediately, but no news of his arrival has yet been received. The airman cannot afford to lose very much more time if he is to succeed in his attack on the record.

To enable him to achieve his ambition, he should take off from Habarovsk for Fairbanks, Alaska, to-morrow at dawn.—*Reuter*.

BRIGHT OUTLOOK FOR RUBBER

Probable Anglo-Dutch Co-operation

The Hague, July 19. Dr. Collin, the Prime Minister, accompanied by Dr. Waals, the head of the Economic Section of the Dutch Colonial Office, have left for London.

It is believed that Dr. Waals will discuss with British experts the question of co-operation between the Dutch and British Government regarding rubber restrictions.—*Reuter*.

AIR ARMADA IN NEW YORK

GIVEN WONDERFUL WELCOME

New York, July 19. General Balbo's air squadron arrived from Chicago to-day and the crew were given a wonderful welcome by the city.

RECOVERY DICTATOR

PLANS APPROVED BY CABINET

NEW INDUSTRIAL CODES IN U.S.

Washington, July 19.

The Industrial Advisory Board composed of members of the Cabinet have formally endorsed the plans of Brig-General Johnson, the Administrator of President Roosevelt's Recovery Act.

The "Recovery Dictator" has prepared a campaign for bringing all industry and business quickly into voluntary agreements for wage raising and the limitation of hours.

Since the textile code was approved, there has been a general acceleration of the programme and the oil, coal, apparel and building industries submitted their codes to President Roosevelt in order to obtain the special privileges that the Government can grant to those who put their business under Federal supervision.

CONTRACTORS' CODE.

Building contractors announced that their code provides for an immediate increase in employment as well as an increase in wages.

Gen. Hugh Johnson, director of the industrial recovery programme, does not believe that special codes will be necessary for the woolen and silk textile divisions. They could operate satisfactorily under the code submitted by the cotton textile group. A few additional clauses may have to be added to suit the others but he believed this would be acceptable.

QUESTION FOR OIL INDUSTRY.

It was revealed that the oil industry faces a particularly difficult problem in its programme to reduce production. While production will be reduced under the recovery system, the East Texas field was reported in a position where it was compelled to reduce to a greater degree than others.

Geologists reported that the East Texas field, which has been flowing at a rate of about 1,000,000 barrels daily, will cease to flow entirely in a year. After that, it will have to be pumped.

In order to keep the field flowing and avoid the expense of installing pumps, producers in that area are planning to reduce the flow at least one half.

This group, as in the case of other industries, will conform to Federal supervision designed to keep production at a level with domestic needs and thus enhance the price.—*Reuter*.

COMMUNISM IN GERMANY

SHOOTING AFFAIR AT RINTELN

Berlin, July 19.

Communist activity throughout the country is reported by the police, who state that their investigations have led to the discovery of rifles and ammunition in a deserted mine in Thuringia, and bombs and explosives in the neighbourhood of Dresden.

A number of arrests have been made, including twenty-two at Rinteln, in Hanover, as a sequel to an exchange of shots, in which a policeman and several Communists were severely wounded.—*Reuter*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE SOUL IS STRONG THAT TRUSTS IN GOODNESS.—*Mossinger*.

Mr. A. C. Franklin, F.I.C., returned to the Colony yesterday by the "Empress of Russia."

The ceiling fans in the Central Small Court giving hardly any breeze, Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning sent for a desk fan, which he had placed on the witness stand, for the convenience of Counsel, Police officers and the Press seated at the table.

A fine of \$100 or six weeks was imposed on Li Sup charged on Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning with placing unmanifested cargo on board the "B" and "S" steamer Tainan yesterday. It was alleged that defendant was found on board with 10 rolls of photograph paper, worth \$3.50 per roll. These articles were dutiable when imported into China.

A dog belonging to Mr. R. E. H. Oliver attacked and bit Lin Seng, a servant employed at No. 453, The Peak, yesterday. Two Chinese living at No. 388, Nathan Road, were also victim of another canine being given treatment at the Kowloon Hospital after being attacked and bitten by a dog belonging to a neighbour. The animal was afterwards taken to the Kowloon Police Station for observation.



The Duke of Connaught, who yesterday dedicated the Masonic Peace Memorial.

MASONIC PEACE MEMORIAL

FINE BUILDING DEDICATED

CEREMONY IN LONDON

London, July 19.

The magnificent new headquarters of English Freemasonry was opened to-day by the Duke of Connaught, the Grand Master, in the presence of six thousand brethren from all parts of the world.

The building was erected as the Masonic Peace Memorial and it cost a million pounds to build. It contains seventeen lodge rooms.

The building dedicated by the Duke is to be the new central home for the craft. It is built in Queen Street, London.

The monument brought to completion by to-day's ceremony was initiated in 1919, the day before the signature of the Treaty of Versailles.

It was decided that £1,000,000 should be raised for the building and endowment of the structure and this has been obtained by voluntary subscription. The foundation stone was laid by the Duke of Connaught six years ago.

KING'S MESSAGE.

In the course of his reply to a telegram of loyalty, the King expressed the hope that the temple "may stand for ever as a memorial to that spirit of comradeship which united Freemasons to-day in remembering that their brethren who made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War should never be forgotten." The Grand Master dedicated the building, "To Freemasonry, to virtue and to universal benevolence."—*British Wireless*.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Mc Calg, sister of the late Mr. E. H. Williams, desires to thank all friends for their kind sympathy and floral tributes in her sad bereavement.

CHARHAR WAR NEAR

NANKING TROOPS AWAIT CHANCE TO ATTACK

Peking, July 19.

For the first time since the Charhar embargo commenced, mediators on the various sides admitted to-day their inability to continue efforts at pacification.

The opinion in Chinese circles here is that an outbreak of serious hostilities is now merely a matter of time.

General Feng Yu-hsiang is reported to have declared that in the event of hostilities he can easily hold out at Kalgan for one month.

There is much speculation regarding the attitude of Sun Tien-ying, whose main forces are still concentrated along the Pingui Railway, allegedly waiting for transportation to Pootow, en route to Chinghai. Sun Tien-ying, one of Feng's lieutenants, has repeatedly declared that his troops will depart as soon as sufficient rolling stock is available.

It is feared that hostilities between Feng's men and Central Government troops will break out the moment Sun's forces leave.—*Reuter*.

SOUTHWEST'S APPEAL.

Pleads With Nanking For Feng's Cause.

WITHOUT EFFECT.

Nanking, July 18.

In identical telegrams addressed to Mr. Wang Ching-wei, Dr. Sun Fo, Mr. Yu Yu-jen and Mr. Chu Cheng, President of the Executive, Legislative, Control and Judicial Yuan respectively, General Li Chi-shen and General Chen Ming-chu, two Southwestern leaders, praise Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang for the defence of Charhar and appeal to Nanking leaders to halt the advance of Peking troops into Charhar "in order to save national strength."

Mr. Wang Ching-wei in his reply, despatched to-day, states that regardless of Marshal Feng's motives, the Charhar situation is fraught with dangerous possibilities. Mr. Wang pointed out that Marshal Feng's forces took Dolonor from defeated Manchukuo forces and not from Japanese troops. He expressed the hope that Marshal Feng Yu-hsiang will surrender his military and political powers in Charhar to the Central authorities and thereby clarify his attitude.

Finally, Mr. Wang Ching-wei requested General Chen Ming-chu and General Li Chi-shen to urge Marshal Feng to do so.—*Reuter*.

LEAGUE ASSEMBLY MEETING

NOW POSTPONED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 25

London, July 19.

The annual meeting of the League Assembly due to begin on September 4, has been postponed until September 25. The Secretariat decided on this step after consultations with the Governments partly because of the continuation of the Economic Conference until July 27, and partly to give time for the development of negotiations upon which the President of the Disarmament Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson is engaged.

The League Council will meet on September 22.—*British Wireless*.

DAMAGED SNAPS

WARNING TO OUTPORT PHOTOGRAPHERS

A number of entries in the Telegraph Amateur Photographic Competition received from the Outports, have been badly damaged in the post owing to the fact that they have been enclosed in thin envelopes. Entries sent by mail should be well protected by cardboard. This advice should also be taken in the case of local entries submitted by post.

ANGLO-SOVIET TRADE AGREEMENT

COMMITTEE CONSIDERING QUESTION

London, July 19.

The Committee dealing with the question of the balance of trade between Great Britain and Soviet Russia in connection with negotiations for a new trade agreement, held a further meeting at the Board of Trade to-day.

RADIO BROADCAST

PIANO RECITAL FROM THE STUDIO

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.). 8 p.m. European programme.

6.15 p.m. Ballet Egyptian Suite (Luglin). Concert Orchestra. 35501/35902.

6.18-6.50 p.m. A Concert. Song—Evening Fair (Bourget-Dobussy).

Song—The Wistful Moon. (Verlaine-Saulo).

Mary Gordon (Soprano). 1439. Piano Solo—By the Brookside. (Schubert).

Piano Solo—The Prophet Bird (Schumann).

Ignace Jan Paderewski. 1423. Song—By the Short Cut to the Roses (Hopper-Fox).

Song—The Irish Emigrant (Duffin-Barker).

John McCormack (Tenor). 1528. Violin Solo—At Evening (Friml-Kramo).

Violin Solo—Letter of Love (Cul-Elman).

Micha Elman. 1160. Song—Absent (Glenn-Metcalf).

Song—A Dream (Cory-Bartlett).

Richard Crooks (Tenor). 4000. 6.50-7.17 p.m. Operatic.

Song—Aida—Return Victorious (Verdi).

Song—Aida—My Native Land (Verdi).

Elisabeth Reithberg (Soprano). 7100. Band—Cavalleria Rusticana.

Selection (Mascagni).

Song—Faut-Willu You Play at Sleeping (Gounod).

Song—Barber of Seville—Slander's Whisper (Rossini).

Marcel Journet (Bass). 9558. 7.17 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.19-7.30 p.m. Cleopatra (Symphonic Poem) (Mancinelli, arr. Creator).

Creole Rhapsody (Ellington). Duke Ellington and His Orchestra. 36049.

7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio. A Pianoforte recital by Miss Doreen Ma.

Programme. 1. Star Dust. Novelty.

2. Tell me, To-night. Away. I Guess I'll Have to Change my mind.

3. Let's Turn Out the Lights. How Deep is the Ocean? Merry Me.

Three's a Crowd. My Darling. 4. Everlasting. Call me Darling.

Merry Widow. Play Fiddle Play. Love's Sweet Dream.

More than All the World to me. Masquerade. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.10-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert. 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down. All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Tang Fook Piano Co.

10.40-11 p.m. Girls Board a Vessel. Twelve Summoned This Morning.

A batch of 12 young Chinese women, who were caught on board the steamer Athel Empress last night, appeared before Commander Newell at the Marine Court this morning. They were charged with boarding the vessel without lawful permission.

All of the defendants pleaded guilty and were each fined \$20.

Another defendant who was charged with the same offence failed to put in an appearance in Court and Commander Newell made an order for the estreatment of her bail of \$50.

Leung So-mui, sampan owner, was also charged with using his boat for the conveyance of prostitutes out to the steamer. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$50.

SHANGHAI SHARES

LATEST QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following latest cable quotations from Shanghai:—

China Finance Corp.	SH\$ 5.00
International Investment Trust Co.	12.25
Cathay Land	10.70
Yangtze Finance Co.	10.75
International Assurance Co.	5.40
China Realty	14.75
Shanghai Land Investment Co.	32.00
New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works (Ord.)	7.50
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co.	147.00
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co.	380.00
Shanghai Electric Construction Co.	42.50
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd.	15.00
Shanghai Cotton Manufacture Co.	109.00
Long Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	14.25
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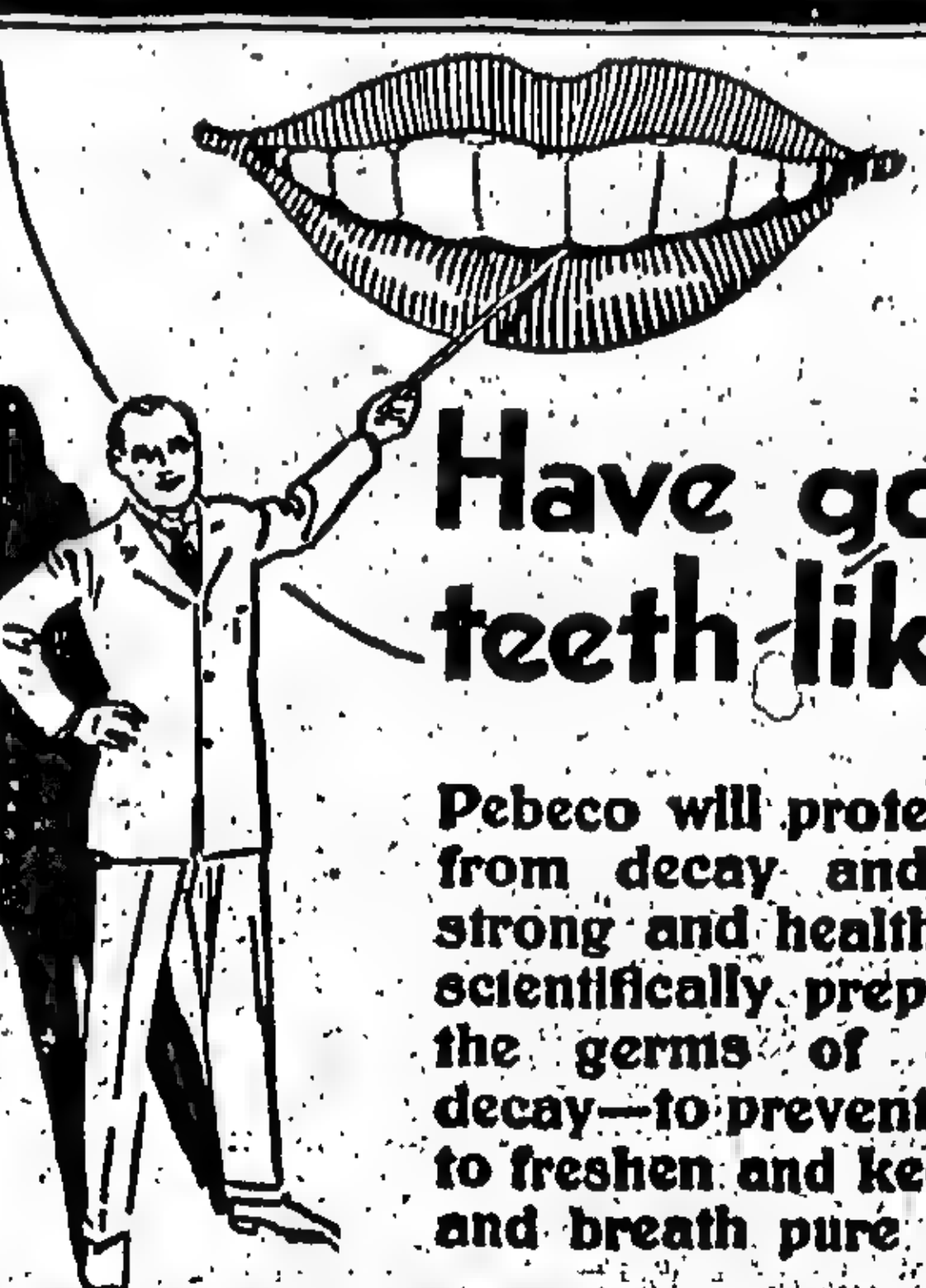
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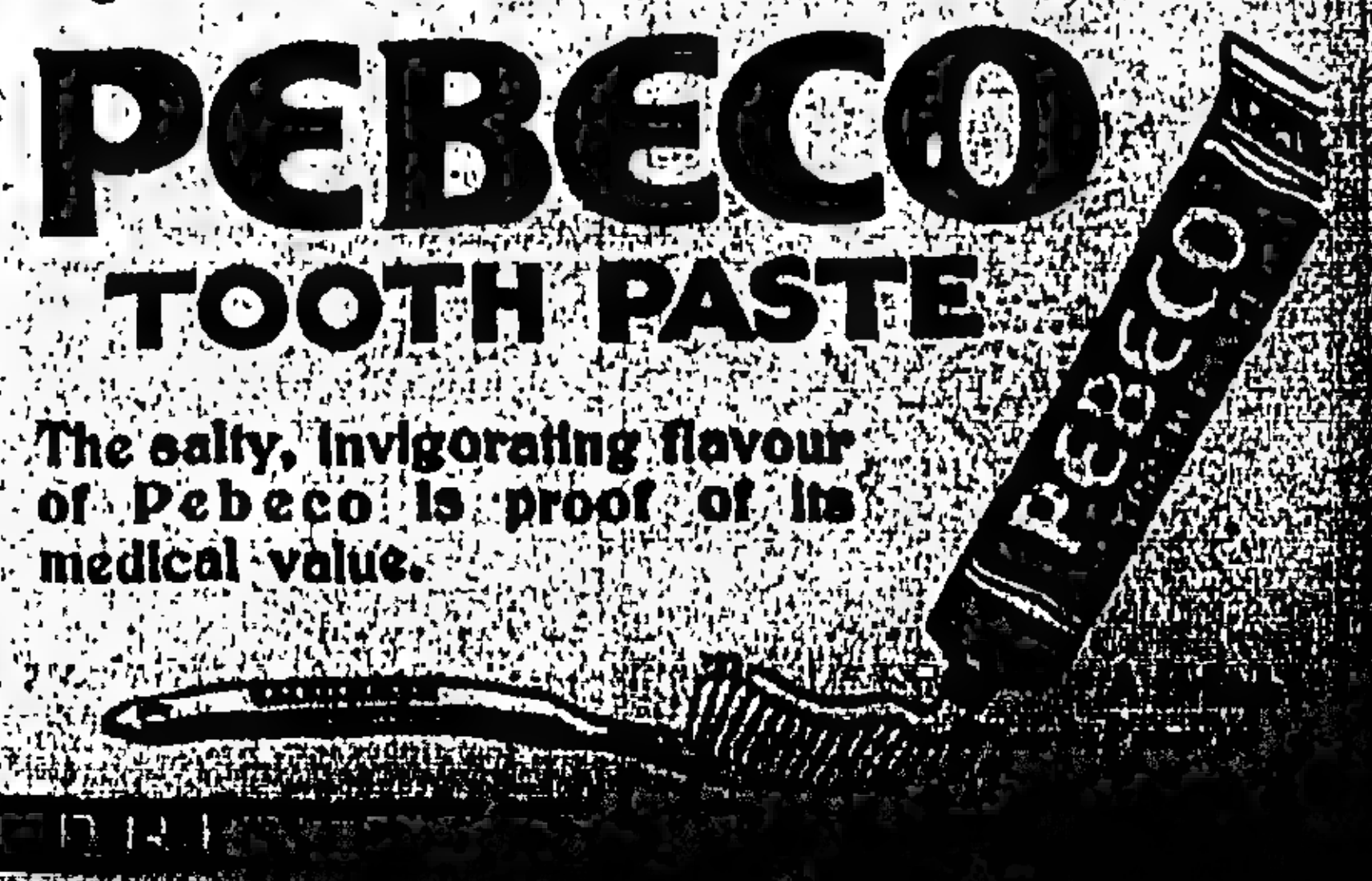
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PETERSEN SCRAP ECHO

A SIX MONTHS' SUSPENSION

LOSES BIG PART OF THE PURSE

Action By Board of Control

London, July 19. Jack Doyle's performance against Petersen for the Heavyweight Championship of Britain last week, when he lost the fight by fouling his opponent in the second round, has cost him dearly.

The British Boxing Board of Control have taken an extremely serious view of the whole thing, and the administrative Stewards, after holding an inquiry into the fight, have suspended Doyle's license for six months, the order to operate forthwith.

Furthermore Doyle will not receive the full amount of the losers end of the big championship purse.

Doyle is to receive £5 a week for six months and his mother a further £5 a week for the same period.

The balance of the purse money due to Doyle is to be forfeited.

The method of dealing with this balance has been left to the discretion of the General Joint Committee of the Board of Control.

SAVAGE FIGHT.

The fight for the British Heavyweight title on July 12, it will be recalled, was one of the most savage in the history of the contemporary boxing ring.

The fight lasted only two and a half rounds, but during that time Doyle was warned for hugging and was finally disqualified for hitting Petersen with two palpably low blows.

Both men lashed out viciously and their short but sharp fights constituted one of the most remarkable displays of post-war championship bouts.

Petersen has enjoyed a meteoric career, and since September 1931 has won eleven big fights. Six of the decision have been on knock-out blows.—*Reuter*.

FRENCH BOXERS.

Pladner To Fight In Shanghai.

Negotiations between the Shanghai Boxing Association and the three French boxers who have been touring Japan have resulted in an arrangement whereby Emile Pladner (a former French and world champion) Raphael and Hughes will arrive in Shanghai to-morrow and will take part in the Association's first card at the Casino on Thursday, July 27.

GILLIGAN ON BODYLINE CONTROVERSY

SUGGESTS IMMEDIATE CONFERENCE BETWEEN THE COUNTRIES

Writing in the *New Chronicle* on the dispute between the M.C.C. and the Australian Board of Control over the body-line bowling question, Mr. A. E. R. Gilligan, former Sussex and England cricket captain states:

I have reason to believe that the situation arising out of the recent cricket quarrel between England and Australia is more serious than many imagine.

The M.C.C. in their reply to the last Australian cable, showed that they are standing very firmly by Jardine.

During the last fortnight I have met a dozen or more Australians, some of whom are resident in this country and some who are visitors to England every summer.

They all regret the hasty action of their Board of Control in sending such an ill-considered cable in the first instance.

THE BREACH.

They also condemn very strongly the unkind and untrue statements made in certain quarters of the Australian Press.

But they have expressed the opinion to me that the last reply of the M.C.C. has done nothing to help the breach.

They have only helped to widen it.

PETERSEN'S TRAIL OF VICTORY.

1931
Sept. 28.—Knocked out Bill Partridge, 4th round.
1932
Feb. 4.—Knocked out Dick Power, 1st round.
March 28.—Knocked out Charlie Smith, 15th round.
May 2.—Beat Tom Toner (disqualified), 6th round.
May 23.—Beat Harry Crossley, on points.
July 12.—Knocked out Reggie Meen, 2nd round.
1933
Jan. 2.—Beat Hans Schonrath (retired), 8th round.
Jan. 20.—Knocked out Jack Pettifer, 12th round.
Feb. 23.—Beat Ernst Guhring, on points.
May 15.—Knocked out Helmo Muller, 1st round.
June 20.—Beat Jack Cook on points.
July 12.—Beat Jack Doyle on a foul.

ANOTHER DAVIS CUP TIE

DENMARK AND GREECE

EACH WIN MATCH

Copenhagen, July 19. A further tie in the qualifying series of the 1934 Davis Cup competition began to-day, when Denmark and Greece met at Copenhagen.

The countries finished all square on the day's play. Stalos of Greece was defeated by Jacobsen the Dane after an exciting five sets match.

Jacobsen was in arrears after the first and third sets, but staged a splendid recovery and ran out to win the concluding two sets.

REVENGE.

Xydis of Greece took revenge for his countryman's failure, when he overcame Ulrich in a full-distance encounter.

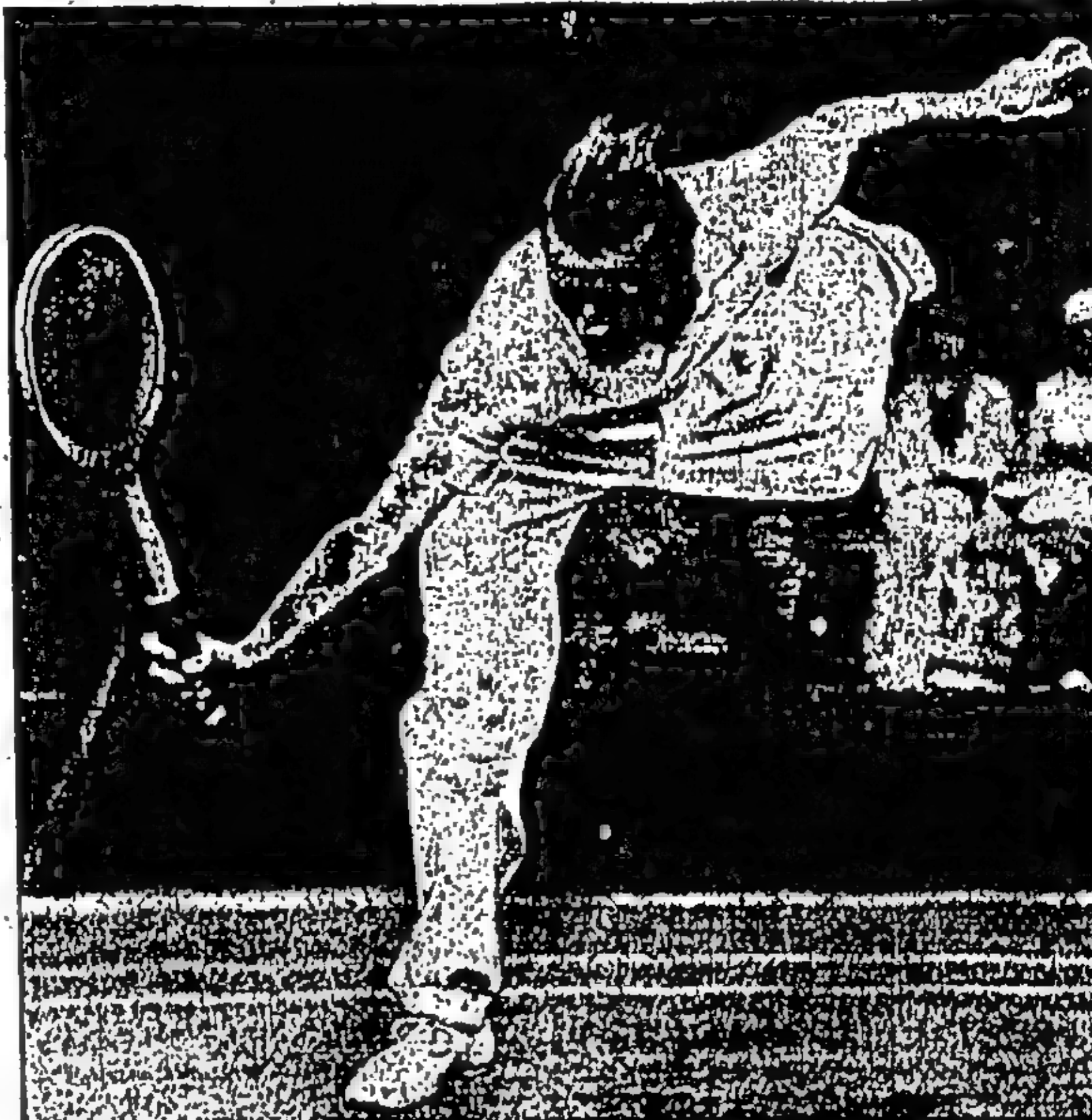
This was another example where the winner was down after the third set. Xydis lost the set after it had gone to 22 games, but he came back very strongly winning the fourth at 6-4 and the fifth at 6-1.

Scores: Jacobsen (Denmark) beat Stalos 4-4, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4. Xydis (Greece) beat Ulrich 4-6, 6-4, 10-12, 6-4, 6-1.—*Reuter*.

LEDUCQ WINS

Montpellier, July 12. The 13th lap of the French bicycle rally, between Marseilles and Montpellier, was won by the French racer Leducq, champion of last year's Tour de France, who showed rather unsatisfactory form this year.

Despite the fact that Leducq won the lap ahead of the best sprinters participating in the event, he has not much improved his position on the general ranking list, which is still led by the French racer Speicher, followed by Lemaire (Belgium), Guerra (Italy), and Archambaud (France). The national ranking list is headed by France, Belgium comes second, Germany third, Switzerland fourth and Italy fifth.



Remarkable action study of Perry taken during his match with Farquharson.

WIMBLEDON

DESCRIPTIONS

HOW FRED PERRY LOST TO FARQUHARSON

SECOND DAY SENSATION AT THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The following description of Fred Perry's defeat at the hands of Farquharson, the South African player, in the second round of the Wimbledon tennis championships is given below by Mr. H. S. Scrivener, the well known tennis correspondent of the *London Morning Post*.

At Wimbledon on the first day a seeded player, J. H. Crawford, only escaped extinction by the skin of his teeth. On the following day another seeded player, F. J. Perry, and one of England's chief "hopes," was soon in jeopardy in his match on the Centre Court against the South African, N. G. Farquharson, and, unlike Crawford, failed in the fifth set after giving his anxious supporters good grounds for believing at the end of the fourth that he had pulled the match round.

The result was undoubtedly a surprise, and it could be said so without belittling Farquharson in the very least. A volleyer in the main, he is a very fine doubles player, indeed, and has proved his worth as such in the Davis Cup in partnership with V. C. Kirby, whereas he is not regarded as nearly so good, by comparison, in singles. Yet when things are going well with account (as he did) he can be very formidable indeed. His plan of campaign was to serve hard, drive hard, regardless of the consequences, and, as the Americans say, "form the net." The result was that he soon reduced Perry, who started somewhat nonchalantly, to such a state of unchastity that he made blunders of all kinds, and seemed quite unable to cope with Farquharson's close-up volleying.

UPS AND DOWNS.

That Perry was able to keep the first set alive until Farquharson bagged his service for 7-5 was due mainly to the errors made by the South African while forcing the pace. When the second set went the way of the first (only at 6-1) a debacle seemed imminent; but Perry, though still nothing like as efficient as he can be, managed to pull himself together to win two sets at 6-3 and 6-4, in about thirty minutes. It now seemed as if Farquharson had not enough left in him to continue his not-rushing game; he had been hanging back more. But he came again with a great spurt in the fifth set. Perry managed to pull him back from 3-0 to 3-5. Two games later Farquharson, having won his own service for 4-3, won Perry's for 6-3. Still it was not over.

Farquharson, serving in the ninth game, reached 40-15. He was then foot-faulted and served a double. After another foot-fault he got his second over, but Perry drove it hard down the line for deuce and eventually won that game after "vantage" twice. Everything seems dim hazy after this fine recovery. But Farquharson was still full of fight and playing for death or glory in the next game won Perry's service for the match, which had lasted about an hour and a half. Towards the end of the fourth set, however, the police had to keep back from the court a crowd of spectators whom there was no room for.

BOWES A NON STARTER

CANNOT PLAY IN TEST ON SATURDAY.

London, July 19. It is announced that Bowes, the Yorkshire fast bowler, will be unable to play for England against the West Indies in the second Test match on Saturday.

Clark of Northants, who was selected twelfth man in the first Test, has been brought in to take the Yorkshireman's place.—*Reuter*.

ITALIAN SPEED KING WINS RACE

Francorchamps, July 10. The Belgian automobile Grand Prix held yesterday, was won by the Italian racer Nuvolari, who covered 505 kms. (40 rounds of the Francorchamps speed track) at an average speed of 143.5 kms. p.m. The second place went to Varzi, while Sommer only covered 35 rounds.

SURPRISE FOR S. CHINA

HELD TO DIVISION OF POINTS BY CRAIGENCOWER

The South China "A" and "B" teams in the First Division of the Tennis League had a bad day out yesterday, the former playing a drawn match with the Craigencower C.C. at Happy Valley, and the latter losing to the Indian R.C. by 8 sets to 1 at Sookunpo.

The Valley match provides one of the biggest upsets this season, in so far as the South China "A" team were the only serious rivals to the Chinese R.C. "A". The South China "A" team has, in fact, won all its matches up to date, including a good victory over the Indian R.C. This victory has seriously jeopardised their chances of winning the championship, and unless they win all their remaining matches, including a win over the Chinese R.C., they cannot hope to wrest the shield from the Causeway Bay team.

The heroes of yesterday's match for the Craigencower team were R. Chow and Tam Yee-fung. They won 2-6; beat Y. W. Lee and C. C. Tsang, 6-1; beat C. Y. Tso and K. C. Yung, 6-2. The South China "A" team, however, were defeated by the Craigencower C.C. each side obtaining 4½ sets. Scores: Leonard and Hachuma (C.C.C.) lost to D. C. Luk and W. T. Lee, 4-6; lost to C. C. Luk and S. W. Wong, 2-6; beat K. C. Luk and W. H. Ho, 6-4. R. Chen and Tam Yee-fung (C.C.C.) drew with Luk and Lee, 6-6; beat Luk and Wong, 7-6; beat Luk and Ho, 6-4. G. Lai and Tui Yan-pui (C.C.C.) lost to Luk and Lee, 4-6; lost to Luk and Wong, 2-6; beat Luk and Ho, 6-1. South China "B" v. Indian R.C. Playing at Sookunpo, the Indian R.C. defeated the South China "B" by 8 sets to 1. Scores: S. A. Ramjahn and H. D. Ramjahn (I.R.C.) beat K. H. Chan and Y. Y. Chow, 6-2; beat Y. W. Lee and C. C. Tsang, 6-1; beat C. Y. Tso and K. C. Yung, 6-2. J. A. B. Cassambhoy and J. M. A. Rassack (I.R.C.) beat Chan and Chow, 6-2; beat Lee and Tsang, 6-2; beat Luk and Yung, 6-4. S. A. B. Chan and S. A. B. Chan (I.R.C.) beat Chan and Chow, 6-2; beat Lee and Tsang, 6-2; beat Luk and Yung, 6-4.

AMES BATS BRIGHTLY

82 AGAINST THE GENTLEMEN

JAS. LANGRIDGE IN FORM

London, July 19. In the first Gentlemen v. Players match of the season, which opened at Lord's to-day, the Players found difficulty in scoring runs, and in compiling 278 for nine wickets before the close, owed practically everything to Leslie Ames and James Langridge.

Ames, whose batting since his return from Australia, has been consistently brilliant, batted in elegant style and with perfect freedom. He scored 82 before dismissal, and made his runs with classical strokes all round the wicket.

Langridge, a left hander with many graceful strokes, also batted well and compiled 71. He has been selected to make his initial appearance in Test cricket on Saturday and his current form suggests that he will make a lot of runs.—*Reuter*.

YANKEES LOSE

SENATORS REGAIN GROUND

FIGHT FOR THE LEADERSHIP

New York, July 19. To-day it fell to the turn of the New York Yankees to suffer defeat whilst Washington Senators just needed their way home against St. Louis.

The Yankees were the victims of Chicago, who scored eight runs to New York's four.

The Giants in the National League broke even with Pittsburgh in a double header, losing the first game, but winning the second. Scores as supplied by *Reuter*:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	.....	6	9	4
Brooklyn	.....	5	9	0

(Hafey homered for Cincinnati)
Pittsburgh 3 12 8
New York 7 10 0

AMERICAN LEAGUE.		R.	H.	E.
New York	.....	4	11	3
Chicago	.....	8	7	0

(Walker homered for New York)
Boston 7 12 4
Cleveland 8 14 0

(Wesferrall homered for Cleveland and Rickferrell for Boston, there were thirteen innings):
Philadelphia 7 12 1
Detroit 3 9 0

Philadelphia 5 10 1
Detroit 10 18 1

(Miller homered for Philadelphia)
Washington 8 14 2
St. Louis 7 18 1

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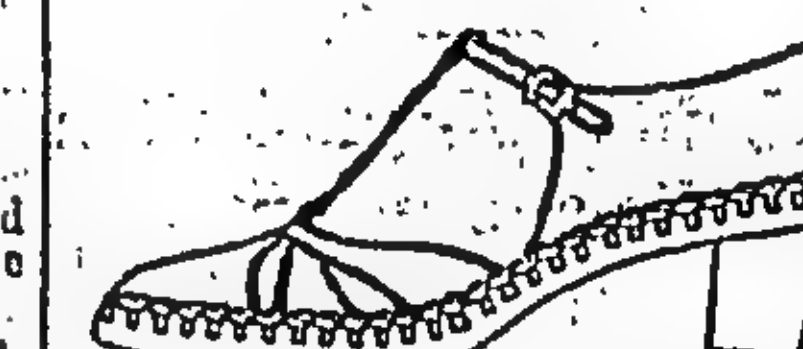
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EXCHANGEYESTERDAY'S MARKET
EASY

According to Messrs. Swan, Colbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Bond news done 7,440,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports: Stocks broke heavily due to crash in wet issues and profit-taking. Banks reduced collateral value on wet issues which rose seasonally recently. Brokers asked for more margin. Few complied and the majority of the profit-taking was demoralizing to the wet market. The bottom fell out of the grain market due to profit-taking and prices were down as much as 13 1/2 cents a bushel. Long holders were dumping huge quantities of wheat, corn, oats and rye touching off innumerable stoploss orders, but there was some slight recovery near the close. Cotton was down more than \$2, rubber and silver were down nearly 100 points each. Sugar eased off only a few points. "Image Magazine" reports: Steel production was reported at 58% of capacity. The pressure for deliveries is still great particularly from the automobile filed although new demand from that section has declined, indicating that manufacturers anticipate some reduction in the production of steel for August which, however, may not occur.

Dow-Jones averages:	July 18.	July 19.
30 Industrials	108.87	109.58
20 Rails	56.68	54.01
20 Utilities	87.51	86.15
40 Bonds	89.07	Unq.
Alaska Juneau Mining Co.	30 1/2	27 1/2
Allied Chemical & Dyestuffs	131	126 1/2
American Can	95	91
American & Foreign Power	18 1/2	17 1/2
Amer. & For. Power	34 1/2	34
Warrants	12 1/2	11 1/2
American Metal Co.	23 1/2	22
American Smelting & Refining Co.	42 1/2	38 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	132	128
American Tobacco	92 1/2	90
American Water-works	80 1/2	38 1/2
Anaconda Copper	22 1/2	20 1/2
Atlas Corporation	10 1/2	15 1/2
Auburn Automobiles	78	70 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	38 1/2	34 1/2
Bathlehem Steel	40 1/2	42 1/2
Borden Company	30 1/2	35 1/2
Borg-Warner	19 1/2	18 1/2
Canadian Pacific Railway	20	19
Case, J.I.	80 1/2	80
Chase National Bank	34 1/2	Unq.
Chesapeake Corporation	49 1/2	47 1/2
Chrysler	37 1/2	36 1/2
Columbia Gas & Electric	26 1/2	26
Consolidated Gas of New York	61 1/2	59 1/2
Continental Oil	18 1/2	18
Douglas Aircraft	17 1/2	15 1/2
Drug Inc.	54	53 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	58 1/2	79 1/2
Eastman Kodak	86 1/2	85 1/2

EXCHANGE RATES

	July 18.	July 19.
Paris	85.1/82	85.1/82
Geneva	17.21 1/2	17.21 1/2
Berlin	18.97 1/2	18.95
Helsingfors	229 1/2	220 1/2
Oslo	19.90	19.90
Athens	385	385
Milan	63.5/32	63.1/32
Buenos Aires	43	43
Shanghai	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
New York	1.88 1/2	1.88 1/2
Amsterdam	8.25 1/2	8.24
Vienna	30	30
Prague	112 1/2	112
Madrid	39.13/10	39.13/10
Bucharest	1.67/10	1.67/10
Hongkong	23.89 1/2	23.83 1/2
Brussels	19.37 1/2	19.40
Stockholm	110	110
Lisbon	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Bombay	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
Yokohama	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
Montevideo	18 1/2	18 1/2
Montreal	18 1/2	18 1/2
Silver (spot)	18 1/2	18 1/2
Silver (forward)	18 1/2	18 1/2
War Loan	98 1/2	98 1/2

—British Wirelog.

Electric Bond & Share	38 1/2	38 1/2
General Aviation	10 1/2	8 1/2
General Electric	29 1/2	27 1/2
General Foods	38 1/2	38
General Motors	33 1/2	32
General Railway	40	42
Signal	26 1/2	24 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	44 1/2	41 1/2
International Cement	38 1/2	38 1/2
International Harvester	44 1/2	40
International Nickel	21 1/2	20 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	20 1/2	18 1/2
Johns Manville	25 1/2	23 1/2
Kennecott Copper	25 1/2	23 1/2
Lohman Corporation	77	76 1/2
Liggett & Myers	44	43
Loew's Inc.	20 1/2	24 1/2
Lorillard P.	24 1/2	24 1/2
McIntyre Procupine	37	34 1/2
Mines Ltd.	27 1/2	25 1/2
Montgomery Ward	38 1/2	Unq.
National City Bank	117	91 1/2
National Distillers	56 1/2	51 1/2
New York Central	34 1/2	32 1/2
North American Co.	93 1/2	96
Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	20 1/2	20
Pacific Gas & Electric	20 1/2	20
Pennsylvania Railroad	39	37
Phillips Petroleum	10 1/2	10 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco	50 1/2	49 1/2
Sears Roebuck	44 1/2	41
Sholl Union	10 1/2	10
Socony-Vacuum Corporation	15	14
Southern California Edison	25 1/2	25 1/2
Standard Gas & Electric	20 1/2	19
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	40 1/2	38 1/2
Texas Corporation	27 1/2	26 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34	31 1/2
Union Carbide & Carbon	50 1/2	47
Union Pacific	127	125 1/2

COTTON, WHEAT
AND SILVERLATEST NEW YORK
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Colbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchange for yesterday.

	Opening	Closing
Cotton	Range	Range
July	11.58-11.55	11.18-11.18
October	11.85-11.87	11.48-11.48
December	12.04-12.07	11.66-11.66
January	12.18-12.12	11.75-11.77
March	12.28-12.29	11.88-11.88
May	12.42-12.43	12.03-12.05
Spot	11.35	

	Chicago	Winnipeg
Wheat	105	87 1/2
September	106 1/2	89 1/2
October	109 1/2	91 1/2
December		

Total sales for the day:
8,875,000 cwt. (12,550,000 cwt. (355 Contracts) (502 Contracts)

ALMOST RESCUED

EFFORT TO RELEASE
NANCHANG OFFICERS

Newchwang, July 19.
Japanese and Manchukuo troops almost secured the release to-day of the three kidnapped British officers of the Butterfield and Swire steamer, Nanchang.

The troops attacked the pirates' stronghold at Fanshan and burnt their houses and seven of their junks. Twenty pirates were killed in the encounter.

The troops found an English newspaper and Mr. Hargrave's pipe, but the pirates escaped Northward, taking the British officers with them and later joining up with a larger band.

The captive officers are Messrs. A. D. Blue, W. E. Hargrave and Clifford Johnson. Several attempts had previously been made to rescue them, but all proved fruitless.—Reuter.

United Aircraft & Trans.	44 1/2	40
United Corporation	13 1/2	12 1/2
United Gas Improvement	23 1/2	23 1/2
U.S. Rubber	23 1/2	21 1/2
U.S. Steel	60 1/2	63 1/2
Universal Leaf Tobacco	50 1/2	47 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	57 1/2	52 1/2
Woolworth	40 1/2	47

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LONDON STOCK PRICES

MARKET IRREGULAR

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market: Irregular owing mainly to some profit taking.

Chinese Bonds			
	July 18.	July 19.	
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	\$100	\$100	
4½% Loan 1908	\$82½	\$82½	
5% Loan 1912	\$66	\$66½	
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	\$84½	\$85	
5% Bonds 1925-47	\$80½	\$80½	
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	\$40	\$40	
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	\$20-25	\$20-25	
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	\$17-22	\$17-22	
5% Shai-Hangchow - Ningpo Rly.	\$88-88	\$88-88	
5% Honan Rly.	\$10	\$10	
5% Hukuang Rly. 1911	\$28	\$28	
5% Lung T'ing U. Hai Rly. 1913	\$12½	\$12½	
Foreign Bonds & Banks.			
German 7% Internat. Loan 1924	83	83	
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1907	\$83	\$83½	
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	\$91	\$91½	
Industrials & Breweries			
Associated Elec. Industries	22/6	21/9	
Brit.-Amer. Tob.	110/7½	110/7½	
Chinese Eng. & Min.	32/6	32/6	
J. & P. Coats	59/0	59/0	
Courtaulds	39/0	39/0	
Dunlop Rubber	81/-	80/-	
Eveready	29/3	29/3	
General Elec.	44/3	43/0	
Guinness	96/0	97/-	
Impl. Chem. Industries	30/6	30/3	
Impl. Tobacco	106/-	106/-	
Internat. Tea Stores	29/-	29/-	
Internat. Nickel	\$20½	\$21½	
Pineh Johnson	33/3	33/3	
Turner & Newall	33/3	33/3	
Unilever	29/6	29/3	
Miscellaneous			
Anglo-Dutch	18/6	17/9	
Burma Corp.	13/9	14/4½	
Canadian Pacific Rly.	\$20½	\$20½	
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	18/6	18/6	
Trepas Mines	18/9	18/9	
Langkat Estate	27/-	27/3	
London Tin	18/-	18/6	
Rubber Trusts	25/-	24/9	
Shai. Elec. Constr.	58/9	58/9	

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MORE LOCAL AWARDS

Twenty-six students of St. Stephen's College, Stanley, who entered for the Intermediate Examinations of the Royal Life Saving Society passed with excellent results, each candidate winning the Bronze Medalion. The successful candidates were Mr. J. A. Gaunt, Hoh King Kiu, Kom Paktakantista, Cheung Ying Nok, Lay Chong Kuo, Chan Hoo Tan, Yang Tong Kuo, Lo Hock Sang, Lam Tiang Siang, Lim Yong, Vaidya Sonama, Tang Ying Kee, Ko Kiu Sing, Lee Hua Sing, Wong Song Tek, Fan Chi Kwan, Si Wai Ming, Hon Soong Cheong, Han Teng Yuan, Lee Chang Liang, Tan Siang Hoo, Lim Boon Chor, Chia Ching Kiu, Wong Kam Chow, Uthal Sengruchi and Poo See Dong.

The following letter has been received by the Society through their President, the Rt. Hon Lord Denborough, K.G., G.C.V.O., expressing the interest of His Majesty the King in this work:

My dear Denborough, The King has been much interested in the last Annual Report of the Royal Life Saving Society, of which he is the Patron.

His Majesty has noted with satisfaction that the number of awards issued continues at a very high figure, in spite of the fact that the tests have been made rather more stringent, and from the account given of its many activities during the present year, it is clear that the Society's progress in no way diminishes. The King was particularly interested in the formation of the "Life Guard Corps," which should not only be the means of saving many lives, but also be a fine example to the public, and lead to an increase in the interest taken by them in the Society's most valuable services.

I am commanded to convey to you the King's continued appreciation of the Empire-wide work of the Royal Life Saving Society. His Majesty is sure that the forthcoming Conference will help to make its influence even greater. Your sincerely,
F. E. G. PONSONBY.

Van Ryn Deep	31/10%	31/10%
Oils		
Anglo-Persian Oil	43/9	43/1½
Burmah Oil	80/-	79/4½
Royal Dutch 100 fl. sh.	\$22	\$21½
Shell Trans. & Trad.	54/4½	53/9

TENNIS IS NOT PING PONG

(Continued from Page 6.)

ing, forceful play, and years swept everything before her. Now the hard hitting type is winning everywhere in women's competitions, and several are not far short of the men when ability is measured.

Perhaps the changes in clothing styles have had a great deal to do with the improvement in women's tennis. In years gone by the fair sex had to battle on the courts in long, and sometimes tight, dresses, and with an abundance of hair, which made them feel the heat and strain of the game. Nowadays the players dress for convenience and comfort, and thus obtain the maximum of freedom on the courts. Many of them have discarded stockings, and a few have followed the men by wearing cream trousers.

When the advent of lawn tennis is fixed at 1874, it must be remembered the birth of the game goes back to the ball games of Egypt and Persia. Even the origin of the terms "love" for nothing and "deuce" for 40—all are lost in antiquity.

The original game of tennis was quite different from lawn tennis. It was played on a walled and roofed court, and is still occasionally played. It reached its peak of popularity in France in the fourteenth century, and was popular in England in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. This game was first played with the hand as the propelling force, and it was not until the sixteenth century that rackets were invented. It is recorded that there were more than 1,800 tennis courts in France in 1600.

During the war the game died out, but a partially successful attempt to revive it was made after the armistice.

RUBBER SHARES

LITTLE CHANGE IN QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Rubber quotations from Shanghai:

	Rate on 12:7:33	Rate on 19:7:33
Anglo Javas	\$5.75	\$5.70
Anglo Dutch	2.70	2.70
Batu Anams	.38	.40
Chemors	.45	.47
Consolidated	1.50	1.55
Kroewocks	.45	.46
Repahs	.40	.48
Samah Merahs	.95	.96
Tebongs	.50	.52
Ziangbes	5.75	5.75

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.	
H'kong Banks	\$1760 b.
H'kong Banks, London	\$182 n.
Chartered Bank	\$15½ n.
Mercantile Bank - A. & P.	\$24½ n.
Mercantile Bank O.	\$8½ n.
East Asia	\$101 b.
Am. O. Finance Corp.	\$h. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord.	\$h. \$5.40 n.
China O. Fin. Prof.	\$h. \$5.00 n.
Insurance.	
Canton Ins.	\$310 b.
Union Ins.	\$562½ s.
China Underwriters	\$2.40 s.
China Fire	\$395 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins.	\$260 b.
International Assoc.	\$h. \$4½ n.
Shipping.	
Douglas	\$32.60 n.
H.K. Steamboats	\$13 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.)	\$30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.)	\$32½ n.
Shells (Banner)	\$3/9 n.
Union Waterboats	\$15 n.
Mining.	
Benguets	\$27 n.
Kallans	\$2/6 n.
Langkats (Single)	\$h. \$16½ n.
Shai Explorations	\$h. \$4 n.
S'hai Loans.	
Rauhs	\$10½ n.
Vonz Goldfields	\$5 n.
Benquet Exp.	28 cts. n.
Docks, etc.	
H.K. Wharves	\$120 n.
H.K. Docks	\$16½ n.
S. China Motors A.	\$10 n.
S. China Motors B.	\$8 n.
Providents (old)	\$3.85 n.
Providents (new)	\$1.40 n.
Hongkows	\$h. \$340 n.
New Engineerings	\$h. \$7½ n.
Shanghai Docks	\$h. \$150 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. & S. Hotels	\$7½ b.
H.K. Lands	\$78 b. and sa.
S'hai Lands	\$h. \$32 n.
Metropolitan Lands	\$h. \$14 n.
Humphreys	\$14 n.
H.K. Realities	\$8.10 n.
Asia Realities "A"	\$h. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B"	\$h. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates	\$97 n.
China Realities	\$h. \$15 n.
China Debentures	\$h. \$137 n.
Cotton Mills.	
Ewo Cottons	\$h. \$15.20 n.
S'hai Cottons	\$h. \$109½ n.
Zoong Sings	\$h. \$14½ n.
Wing On Textiles (S.)	\$91 n.
Public Utilities.	
Tramways	\$23.20 b.
Peak Trams (old)	\$15½ n.
Peak Trams (new)	\$7½ n.
Star Ferries	\$94½ b.
Yaumatl Ferries (old)	\$26 n.
China Lights (old)	\$18 b.

China Lights (new) \$12.40 b.
H.K. Electric, \$78½ b.
Macao Electric, \$35 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.
Telephones (old), \$31.10/15 n.
China Buses, \$h. \$11½ n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.
Singapore Prof., 15/- n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars \$15 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), \$h. \$20 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$h. \$16 n.
Canton Ices, \$6 n.
Cements (Com.), \$6.20 n.
Cements (old), \$6 n.
Cements (new), \$1 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$9 n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$28½ b.
Watsons, \$9 b.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawford, \$4.20 n.
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Sincoras, \$14 n.
Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$185 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$12½ n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$11½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$3½ n.
United Theatres, \$h. \$4 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.
Constructions (old), \$3.90 n.
Constructions (new), 80 cts. n.
B. Ind. & S. Bonds, 79% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 4½% b. Prem. (Assented)
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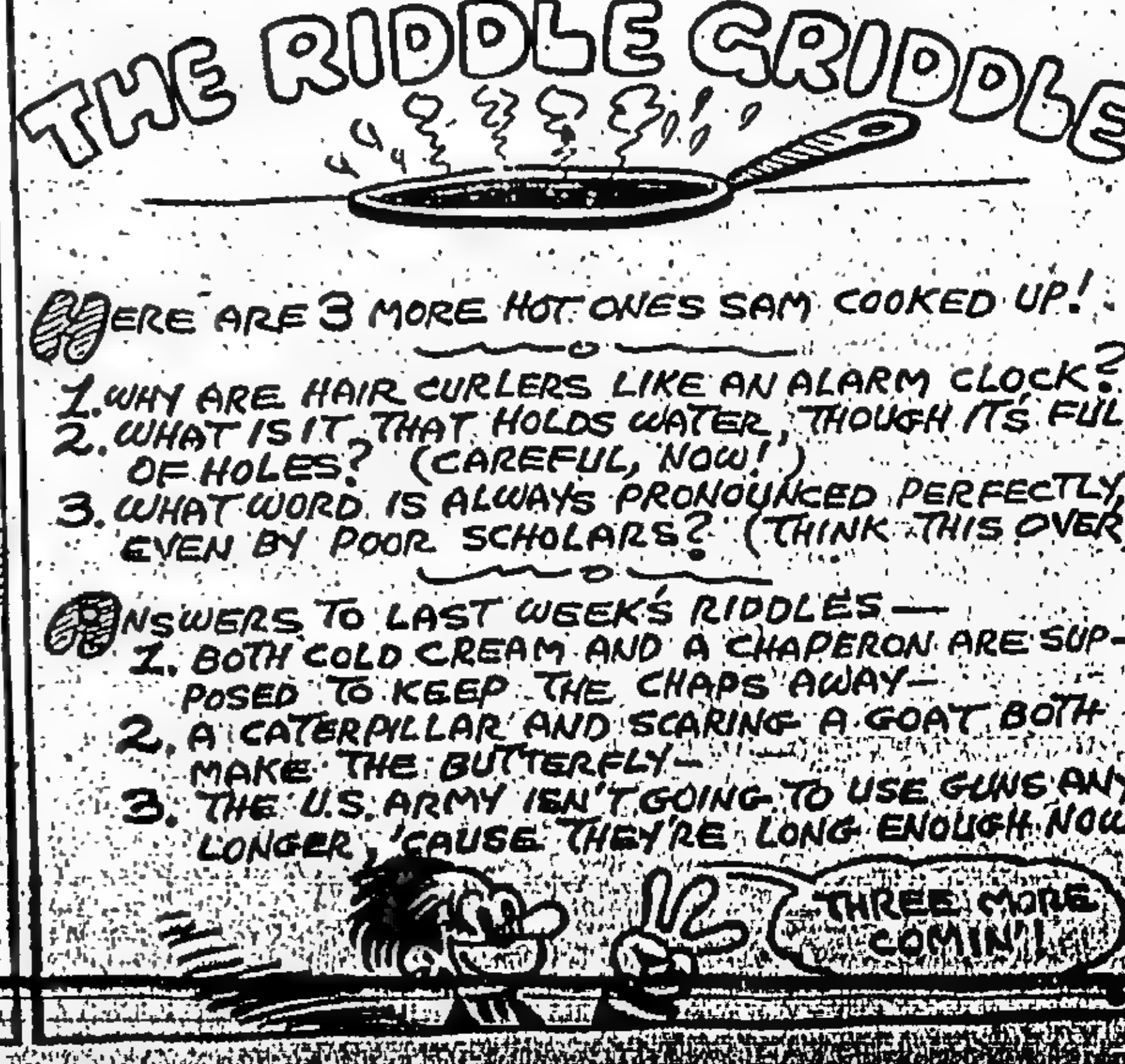
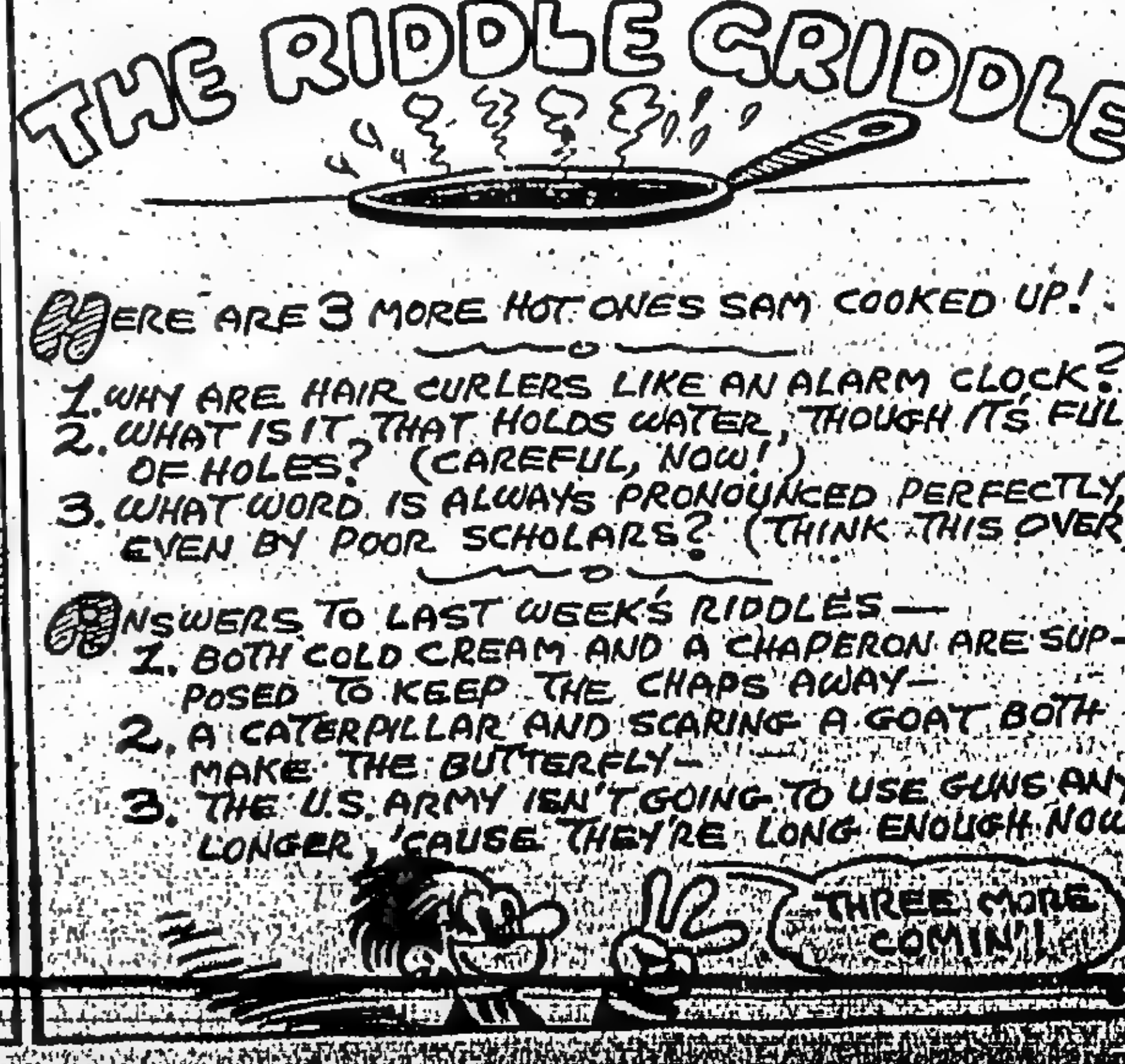
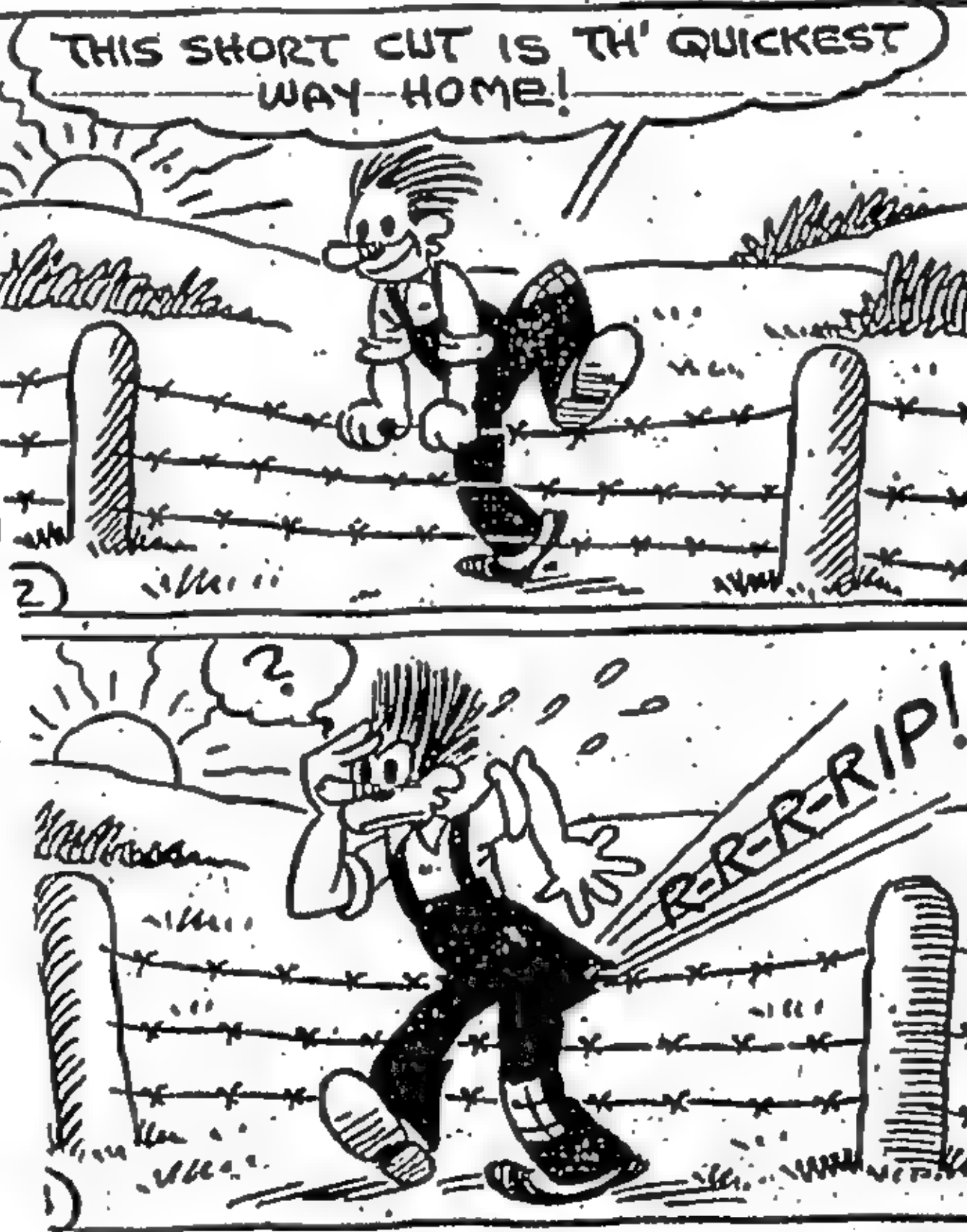
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SELLING DELUGE HITS NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

A SEVERE BREAK

ACTION TO CORRECT SPECULATION

LEADS TO RUSH

New York, July 19. A deluge of selling hit the New York Stock Exchange to-day, precipitating crashes in values.

The wheat market was similarly badly hit, plunging perpendicularly and closing weak. Stocks were swept overboard in the selling of the recently buoyant "Wet" or "nicoholic" issues, which at one time suffered losses varying from seven to twenty-five points.

The rush of selling orders carried the rest of the market with it, but to a lesser extent, the prices of stocks in other groups dropping from two to seven points.

The total turnover for the day was 7,463,000 shares, the largest since May, 1930.

The break is attributed in the first place to reports that the leading bankers are considering the taking of action to restrict loans for speculative purposes, and secondly, to the action of the brokers in raising the marginal requirements from an average of twenty-five per cent. to sixty per cent.

The action of the brokers led to a rush by the speculators who are without sufficient cash to meet the margins.—*Reuter*.

LITHUANIA IN MOURNING

ATLANTIC FLYERS BROUGHT HOME

Kovno, July 19. Fifty thousand people, including members of the Cabinet and Diplomats, stood in mourning at the Aerodrome here to-day when the bodies of the trans-Atlantic Lithuanian flyers, Darius and Girenas were landed.

Both of the intrepid aviators, who gave their lives in the cause of aviation, have been posthumously awarded a number of decorations.—*Reuter*.

MURDER TRIAL CLOSING

ADDRESS FOR THE DEFENCE

NOT CONFESSION OF GUILT

The closing stages of the Shaukiwan murder trial were reached before Chief Justice Wood at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

Accused, Fan Hing, aged 20, in a statement made to the police blamed his wife for the crime.

The murdered woman, Po Mui, aged 60, of 47 Kam Wah Street, was discovered dead in the untenant basement of 57, Kam Wah Street, on June 2, and round her neck was a portion of a cotton singlet with which she had been strangled.

Fan and his wife were arrested by a ruse a few days later and both were committed for trial. The Chief Justice informed the jury that the woman was not "standing her trial with her husband, owing to the position his accusation against her had created."

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, prosecuted for the Crown, and Mr. H. C. Macnamara, instructed by Messrs. Lo and Lo represented accused.

The jury is composed of Messrs. F. Mow Pung, (Foreman), H. A. Castro, J. A. S. Alves, O. B. Raven, D. Ellis, A. D. S. Gomes, and H. D. Brown.

DEFENCE SUBMISSIONS.

Mr. Macnamara in submitting that there was no case to go to the jury, said the case for the Crown had been stated to be "that the murder was committed by a person or persons and prisoner by his own admission was present," but being present at a murder was not in itself the crime of murder.

"I submit that my friend has proved a good deal more than he set out to prove. According to evidence for the Crown for the purposes of my argument, whatever else that evidence proves, it proves that the murder was committed by this man's wife."

The testimony of the witnesses was circumstantial evidence and the points made with regard to the smallness of prisoner's earnings, his need of money, and his knowledge of Po Mui's possession of money, told equally against his wife as against himself.

On the night of the murder, the evidence showed that she had at

least an equal opportunity as he of committing the crime. The Crown had made no attempt to show that this woman could not have been guilty.

The manner in which the money was spent—on necessary domestic articles and on jewellery for the wife—and the discovery of a large sum in the possession of the latter, strengthened his submission.

NOT CONFESSION OF GUILT.

Dealing with the direct evidence provided by the accused's statement, Counsel said the mere presence of a passive spectator at a murder was not sufficient evidence of aiding and abetting. The statement was not a confession of guilt but a statement of defence.

Mr. Fraser rose to reply when the Chief Justice said he did not wish to hear him unless Mr. Fraser wished particularly to speak.

The Chief Justice added: It is for the jury to say whether there is any loophole in the evidence or not.

Mr. Fraser then addressed the jury.

He said the police deduced that the murderer was very strong or that there were two murderers; that the murderer knew that Po Mui was likely to come to the basement because preparations had been made for her, the murderer needed money and knew Po Mui would have some.

"The motive was not robbery," said Mr. Fraser. "It was murder and robbery, for robbery with no murder meant no security."

THE COMMON DESIGN.

His Lordship: Supposing they both went to the house, one with the intention of killing and both with the intention of sharing the money after the woman was dead, does that in your opinion make them both guilty of murder? Must there be common intention to kill?

Mr. Fraser: "I submit that it is not necessary to have common intention to kill," and quoted Halsbury in support.

His Lordship said it would appear that the common design was to share the proceeds after the woman was dead.

Mr. Fraser: I submit that on the facts of this case the common design must have been to kill.

His Lordship: Not on the present facts.

Mr. Fraser: The common design need not go so far as murder. They need only have common design to rob.

His Lordship: That they did not have. They did not intend taking anything from this woman while she was alive. That is clear also that they did not set out to rob this woman in the ordinary sense of the word.

Mr. Fraser: If the jury come to that conclusion I shall be quite satisfied.

REMARKABLE CROWN CASE.

Mr. Macnamara, addressing the jury, said in his opinion the case had been presented by the Crown in a remarkable way. When the case was before the magistrate the present accused and his wife were jointly convicted of the murder. For some reason he did not understand and which had never been explained the case against the wife had not been proceeded with.

"The point I wish to emphasize," he said "is that it is not for you to criticize the way the law officers of the Crown see fit to conduct their business, and whatever they have done cannot in any way prejudice the position of the accused. He is entitled to say that this crime was done by his wife and that is what he has done all along. But she is not accused. Your finding to day will in no way prejudice the wife in any further proceedings that the Crown may hereafter take against her."

THREE ALTERNATIVES.

Continuing Mr. Macnamara said that in such a crime where two persons were present there were three alternatives. The first was that A, the present accused, perpetrated the crime, the second that B, his wife, did it, and the third that they did it together. If both had done it, it was natural to expect that they be tried together. The way the prosecution conducted the case was awkward. It was suggested that they both did it and if that was the case he failed to see why the wife was not in the dock with the present accused.

The statement of the accused was not in his submission a confession but a statement by which he sought to prove his innocence by putting the blame on his wife. If the statement was to be believed the real murderer was the man's wife. The weight of the evidence went to show that the wife was the murderer.

COMMUNISM IN KWANGTUNG

REDS AND ANTI-REDS IN HO-PO

HECTIC PERIOD

After a hectic period the Ho-po district, lying some eighty miles to the South-west of Swatow, is now quiet again—quiet, but not unapprehensive.

The trouble began two months ago with the sudden arrival from the Peking district of several small bands of Reds. These started a guerrilla campaign of propaganda and petty terrorism, turning up in the evenings at places least expecting them, demanding food, orating, and now and then kidnapping and holding for ransom a merchant or other "nonworker". Little bloodshed accompanied these raids; but the cumulative effect was to disorganize the whole district.

The soldiers then in Ho-po were local youths unaccustomed to any fighting, and these preferred to sit tight in the market, ignoring the appeals for help from the neighbouring villages. Once, indeed, they went out, but it was not to fight—only to burn, as a warning, some houses in a little village that had given food, though under compulsion, to the Reds.

These bands of Reds were believers in Communism and were looking forward to the time when they would be the local guides to a larger force that was to come down from Kiangsi. They had heard of the defeat of the Government troops there earlier on, and went about proclaiming that the time was fast approaching when the Communists would overrun this district also.

ORIGIN OF BANDS.

Actually—though this they did not themselves proclaim—these men had become Communists not originally through political conviction or economic causes, but just as the result of a long-standing clan feud in the Peking district. The clans involved, each numbering several thousand men, started the feud some seventy or eighty years back, and early on imitated unconsciously the Wars of Roses by adopting as their emblems the one side a red flag, and the other side a white flag.

At that time there was no political significance attached to the colours; but when that significance came, the clans, rather than change, still stuck to their colours and developed the one red Communist sympathies and the other white. Last spring the latter, exploiting its colour, obtained official help and defeated the red clan so badly that about a thousand of its men decided to leave the district. It was bands of these who appeared in the Ho-po district.

These men were Reds of their own choice, but they soon started to compel others less willing to join them. A few voluntarily joined them, won over by their speeches in the various villages visited (attendance at such speeches was obligatory for the whole village population). But many more assumed a friendly attitude towards them purely as an expedient for avoiding further unwelcome pressure. In one case, again, clan animosity proved the deciding factor, one clan coming to a friendly understanding with the bands in the hope thereby of enlisting their help against the stronger clan foe. In this way dissension, mutual suspicion, and unrest grew apace, and nobody felt safe. And the Reds seemed to turn up everywhere and to know everything about everybody.

SOLDIERS APPEAR.

And then suddenly 300 or 400 soldiers appeared from the Hai Luk Fung region, and declared that they too knew everything—they, too, had had their spies in the markets just as the Reds had; and now that they had finished clearing up their own district, they were going to clear up Ho-po too. Moreover a Red, for private reasons, had surrendered up to the Hai Luk Fung district magistrate the record-book of all recent Communist activities and all their agents and sympathizers in that district, and this book incriminated some of the Ho-po folk too. So there was to be a time of reckoning, the soldiers said; and people feared now more than before. Communist record books are dangerous things and the method of their compilation disastrous, for they include besides the names of genuine members of the party a host of names put down from chance hear-say, or again for imprudent effect on others. Serious investigation is needed before accepting as true the evidence

NEW CHINESE HOTEL.

OPEN SHORTLY AT WANCHAI

By the end of next month, an important addition to the Colony's accommodation for guests will have been effected when the large cantenary being built by the Luk Hoi Tung interests on the new Praya at Wanchai is thrown open to business.

The new building, occupying 15,000 sq. ft. of reclaimed land a short distance beyond the new Naval Canteen, is easily the tallest structure in the new district. It has eight storeys including the mezzanine floor, is of reinforced concrete throughout, and designed on improved lines having regard to its purpose. In the 251 rooms, cold and hot water services will be installed, in addition to the usual flush water closet system.

The main interior features are a large cafe and lounge opening from both sides of the ground floor in addition to the usual offices.

Built at a cost of eight lakhs, it represents the most ambitious undertaking of the kind by Chinese interests so far in Hongkong. The general manager, Mr. Chan Foo-cheung, is a much travelled businessman, and he claims for the new enterprise the incorporation of a number of unique ideas.

Chinese hotels of the *chaan*, or boarding-house type, are notoriously lacking in the conveniences desired for family residence. The new Luk Hoi Tung hotel at Wanchai will attempt to remedy this defect and combine with a spotless cleanliness, exceptional inducements for the type of guests who insist on modern comfort and reputable surroundings.

All the rooms are walled, as distinguished from the cubicle arrangement, and private telephones connected with a main switchboard on each floor will add to the amenities offered.

The furnishing will be European throughout. The cost of interior equipment and installations will add another lakh to the total outlay.

The interests behind the undertaking are confident of immediate success, on account of the great attraction it will hold out as the first hotel of its kind in Hongkong and China.

such investigation is generally sadly lacking.

Further, one of the captains of the newly-arrived force belongs to a family of the district that in recent years has lost eleven of its members; killed by Reds. That captain does not feel too compassionate; and a sinister rumour has spread concerning him. On meeting the head of the local charitable association he is said to have asked: "How many coffins has your association?" "A few tens," was the reply; to which he rejoined, "That's not enough—I'll want 150!" So far some twenty men have been seized and shot. The Red bands themselves have disappeared into the blue, no one knows where, and these are local folk suffering in their place. And latest news says that two Reds have been captured at Nam-sun, ten miles East of Ho-po, with yet another record book!

The military have made the district safe for travelling, and the annual Baptist Conference for the Swatow-Moyai district is at present meeting in Ho-po; but for the local people the new quiet is mingled with much apprehension. And six hundred men have decided to leave the district altogether, for a time.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

CORRESPONDENCE

Cabarette Curfew

(To the Editor
Hongkong Telegraph)

Sir,—Your leaderette in yesterday's *Telegraph* on the subject of the curfew hour imposed upon the cabarets, raises a point that should be immediately cleared up by the authorities.

Whatever the merits or demerits of the cabaret question, the police, unless they can definitely show under what Ordinance they have imposed their will on private citizens in order to restrict their calling, have exceeded their duty. Under the Section 13 (1) to prosecute any person responsible for any noise calculated to disturb or interfere with the public tranquillity, but no section of that Ordinance gives them power to tell a private citizen that he shall do such and such a thing at such and such a time.

If the police have power to inflict their will upon the proprietors of cabarets by imposing a curfew hour, they must also have the power to tell a private householder that he must shut off his radio at a certain hour, or get rid of his guests by a certain time.

The Summary Offences Ordinance gives the police power, to ask a Magistrate to inflict a fine on any person contravening its provisions. But before this can be done, the Magistrate must have sufficient evidence that the public tranquillity has been disturbed. The fact that an occupier of a dwelling has disturbed the public tranquillity does not, under the Summary Offences Ordinance, give the police power to make and enforce regulations for the compulsory closure of any private dwelling.

It should also be borne in mind that, despite the fact that there have been two prosecutions at Kowloon, not one conviction has been registered yet against the proprietor of any cabaret in Hongkong. I hold no brief for dancing academies in residential areas, but as regards these, the police have always had a remedy in the Summary Offences Ordinance. Complaints have, I understand, been made in respect to only two or three of these cabarets, and for the authorities to impose a curfew on every one in Hongkong, savours too much of autocracy.

What we want in this Colony is a little more common sense and a little less Bumbledom. It is hard enough living here now without sanctioning officialdom interfering to the extent they have done with what little pleasure we have.

Chase the cabarets out of the residential areas, by all means. But leave them alone in the business quarter.

There's many a worse place a young man can go to at nights.

Yours etc.

—THE WORM THAT TURNS.

That Elephant

Sir,—On reading your issue of yesterday's date, I was surprised to find that one of the elephants of the Great Chinese Circus had died and that the weight of the carcass was some 3,300 lbs. Considering that a full-grown elephant (Burmese) would only weigh round about this weight, I am at a loss to understand how the weight of a baby elephant, which this one was, should be 3,300 lbs. Elephants in some cases live well over 100 years and I should say 70 years would be a good average at the time of death from natural causes. As the one that died at the Circus was only 3½ years old it was only a baby. It may be of interest to know that the big elephant of Harnston's Circus which was in Hongkong some 18 months ago was practically full grown and weighed only 1½ tons. I myself have purchased elephants at various ages and prices in India, Burmah, and

THEFT OF CAST IRON SPIRALS

GUARD MAKES ARREST IN WATER

Lau Lung, an unemployed, charged before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with the larceny of four cast-iron spirals from the Government Quarry at Quarry Bay, was fined \$50 or in default six weeks' hard labour.

An Indian guard noticed the defendant and another man picking up the spirals, and gave chase. One man got away, but defendant jumped into the water, and bled behind a junk. The guard also jumped into the water, and arrested the defendant.

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London, July 19. The Home Defence Air Squadron is flying solely on oil extracted from British coal, stated Sir Philip Sassoon in the House of Commons to-day.—*British Wireless*.

KING AND QUEEN AT OLYMPIA

INSPECT ADVERTISING

London, July 19. The King and Queen visited Olympia to-day and made a tour of all the principal features of the advertising and marketing exhibition in which the press, printing, advertising, and many other leading industries have collaborated.—*British Wireless*.

Sumatra, but have never seen one at 3½ years of age, weighing more than 800 to 1,000 lbs.

I may mention that I myself paid a visit to the menagerie of the Great Chinese Circus and saw all four animals including the sick one, and should say that all four together would not weigh more than 5,000 to 6,000 lbs.

Trusting that you will excuse me taking so much of your valuable space hoping that you will let me know as to how the weight of the elephant in question was ascertained.

Yours etc.

A JUNGLE.

The figure officially supplied to us was approximately 3,350 lbs and not 3,300 lbs. This was probably an under-estimate as it was ascertained when the elephant was weighed on being shipped—some months ago. The average weight of a full-grown elephant is 7,600 lbs which is a little over 3 tons, 2 cwt.—*Ed. H. K. T.*

Wild Animals in Captivity

Sir,—I must say that I did not fully appreciate what your contributor intended as a humorous description of the end of the circus elephant.

Is not the civilised world in a sufficiently developed state to dispense with these unnatural and pitiless exhibitions? To me it seems incredible that any thinking and feeling human being can take pleasure in the perpetual imprisonment of an animal. The elephant in question—a mere baby—taken from its natural haunts of green forests, chained and pushed and shipped; and badgered by brilliant lights and thronging mobs, little wonder the animal pines and dies in infancy! It is time that pleasure obtained merely by a sight of animal misery be prohibited.

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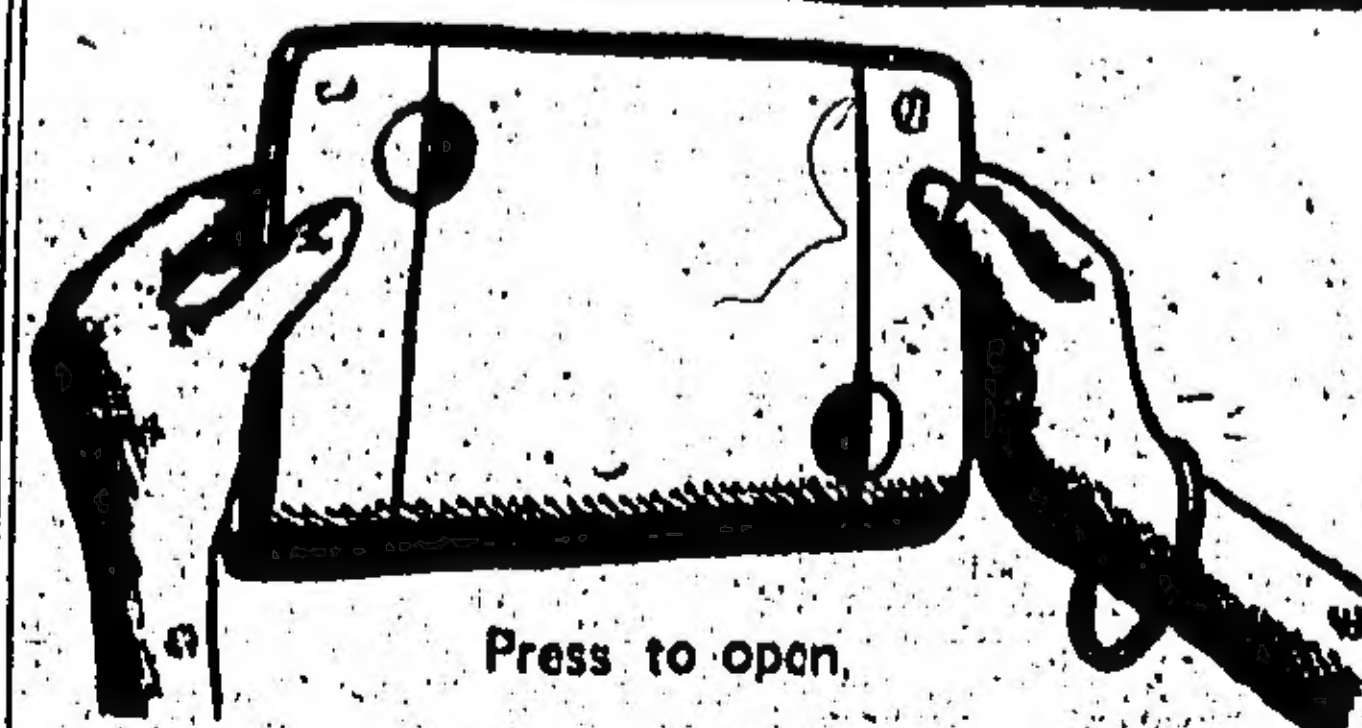
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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Humanity", the new Fox drama depicting the romance of a young scientist and the girl who loves him, opens at the King's Theatre to-day for an engagement of two days. Ralph Morgan, veteran of the stage and screen; Alexander Kirland, whose name has graced a great number of successes; Boots Mallory and Irene Ware, two new-comers who are well on their way to stardom, head the cast of the film.

The locale of the story involves the contrasting environment of the very poor and the rich. It moves from the haunts of the wealthy, to the piteous where the poor struggle even to maintain life. Through it all runs a romance that is said to be one of the most unusual ever portrayed on the screen.

The supporting cast includes Noel Madison, Wade Boteler, Christian Rub, Betty Jane Graham, Felix Boros, George Irving, Crawford Kent and Neill Walker. John Francis Dillon directed from the screen play by Bradley King. The film is an adaptation of the story, "The Road to Heaven", by Harry Fried.

"What! No Beer?"

From Ronald Colman's arms to the arms of Buster Keaton. That is the cinematic leap taken by the screen's newest brunette beauty, Phyllis Barry. Miss Barry came from the tragedy of "Cynara" to the rollicking nonsense of the newest Buster Keaton-Jimmy Durante burlesque on the beer question which will be shown at the Queen's Theatre from Sunday.

Quite a leap indeed, considering that these two pictures mark the sum total of this British stage beauty's screen appearances.

"You might call it from the sublime to the ridiculous," Miss Barry declares. "But I enjoyed it immensely. 'Provided you have your health and can stand the strain of the mad pace that Buster Keaton and Jimmy Durante set, it's a jolly lot of fun.'"

"Buster is my sweetheart in this picture. When I go into a love scene with him I can never be quite sure whether I am going to be kissed or tripped up by a beer keg that Durante is playing roll-the-hoop with. 'You just can't help loving both Buster and Schnozzle Durante when you work with them in a picture. They are just as wild behind the camera as in front of it. There's no use trying to be dignified when they are around, and I can well understand why Edward Sedgwick has directed all the pictures they have made together. It takes a 200-pound giant like Mr. Sedgwick to hold them down.'"

"Ronny"

"Ronny" opens to-day at the Central Theatre.

E. Kallman, who composed such famous operettas as "Sylvia," "Countess Maritza," "Bavardere" etc. created for the talking screen "Ronny." Everything that Kallman had written until this last creation of his could not be even compared with this chef d'oeuvre. His music is intoxicating like new wine. "Ufa" made it a special condition that this operetta cannot be shown on the stage.

The subject is free and easy, but its settings are the best that could be created by Cinema: fairylike surroundings, luxury of palaces, etc. All is new and unusual, you will not find the banalities you encounter in most of the films. The spectator is conquered from the very first part. The merry and witty story makes you laugh without end.

"The Mummy"

Karloff and Edward Van Sloan make their second appearance together in that fantastic reincarnation play "The Mummy" now showing at the Oriental Theatre. Both actors played in "Frankenstein," the film which rocketed Karloff to fame. In "Strangely enough, both portray roles in the recent Egyptian drama similar to those in the previous Shelly tale. Karloff again "comes to life" in what is said to be the most spectacular scene of his career, while Van Sloan again enacts the role of a scientist. This, however, is the third consecutive scientific role which Van Sloan has portrayed since coming to Hollywood direct from the New York stage, where he was a prominent member of the Theatre Guild. In "Dracula" he portrayed Dr. Von Helsing and it looks as though he is destined to play scientific roles for the rest of his screen career.

"Zoo In Budapest"

Jesse L. Lasky, for twenty years one of the outstanding figures in the motion picture industry, is resolved to

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nervousness and excitement. Mackenzie readily acceded to her request. He was jubilant. Already he treated her like one of his choicest possessions. She was cold? Ah, that would never do! "Huggins, wrap Miss O'Dare in the fur rug, so!" That was better. He would order hot milk sent up to her room. Did she mind being alone until Miss Anstice returned? Well, all the better perhaps, so that she might make her decision.

At parting he was very gentle with her, under the bright, respectful eye of the uniformed boy at the lift.

"Sleep well," he charged her, smiling.

"Oh, I will," she promised, laughing nervously. "Thank you for everything—you are so kind."

But her eyes were troubled after she had left him. What should she do? It was too much to expect her to make such a tremendous decision overnight. Out of his presence, she now relaxed, feeling, if the truth were told, a bit resentful at the tumultuousness of his wooing. Miss Corey had described him not long ago as a bit of a pirate. The term suited him exactly. He had a touch of the buccannier about him. A polite, well-clothed buccannier, of course, but there was in his nature a trace of the ruthlessness which belongs to the unscrupulous. Monica recognized this, liking him none the less for it, attracted in spite of herself. That he was twice her age did not seem to matter. She was young enough to consider this fact in itself a romantic circumstance. She did not love him—no! But since she could not have the man she did love, did this matter? Weren't most people inclined to overestimate the value of love?

She sat this, wrapped in her old blue dressing gown, and sipped the warm milk the servant brought her, reminded by it of the man's solitude for her.

"What shall I do?" she cried aloud to the empty walls. "What shall I tell him to-morrow?"

As if in answer to her cry a soft knock sounded at the door of the suite. Monnie, thinking the maid had returned to carry away the empty cup, softly called, "Come." But, instead of the fresh faced English woman in her neat uniform, a page boy entered with an envelope on a salver.

"The letter came on the boat train, madam. The director thought it might be urgent, it had been so delayed."

She tore the envelope open with trembling fingers. Dan's writing! It had been addressed to her hotel in New York and forwarded.

What could he have to say to her?

(To be Continued.)

"write" a sequel to his unusual career. "The secret of success," he said, "is to surround yourself with good people. And that's just what I'm doing in my climb back up the ladder."

Lasky's first independent production is "Zoo In Budapest," in which he has Gene Raymond, Loretta Young, O. P. Heggie and Wally Albright in the principal roles. Rowland V. Lee, veteran director with many successes to his credit, directed the production, which comes to the King's Theatre on Saturday.

There other pictures also are definitely scheduled for the Lasky programme. They include the Broadway stage success, "The Warrior's Husband," in which Elissa Landi and Ernest Trues will be starred, with Marjorie Rambeau playing a prominent supporting role; "Peking Palace," the Atlantic Monthly prize novel; and "Berkeley Square," the play which was a sensational success in London and on Broadway.

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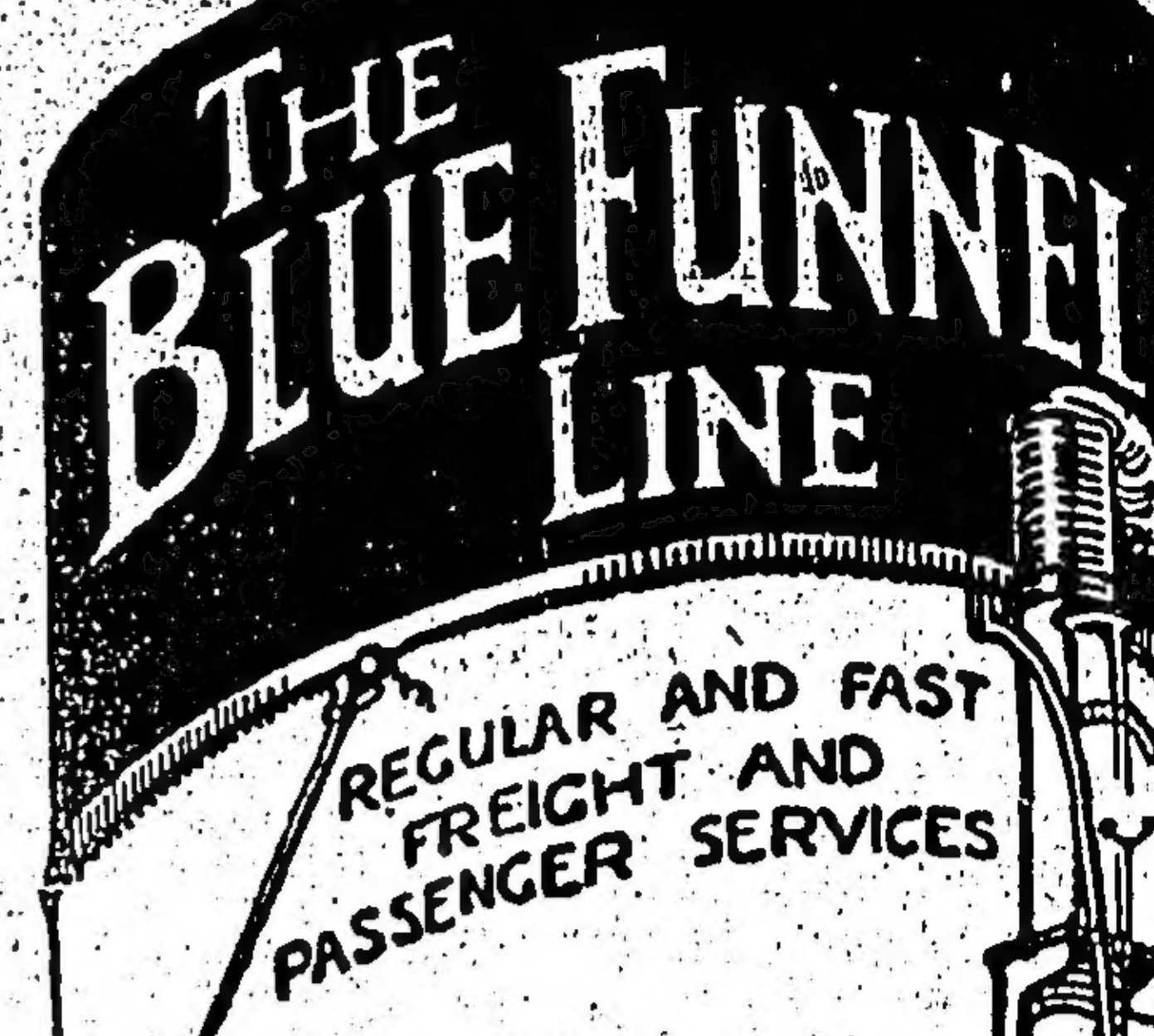
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humorous is the attraction that opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

"Platinum Blonde," produced by Columbia pictures, is the film that stands up under this barrage of virtues, with one of its dominant virtues the performance of Robert Williams, who did so nobly in "Rebound" and "Devotion" and tops these with his biggest in "Platinum Blonde."

The charming and beautiful Loretta Young and the glamorous Jean Harlow are the two young ladies who get Williams into and out of complications in a story of how a delightfully independent person—a genuine "free soul"—gets caught in a gilded cage and is pretty nearly smothered.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

I presume you have often heard the remark made when a certain expert was being discussed—"That fellow can tell every card you hold after the second or third play." While that is not always literally true, the better player does try to count a hand down.

When your partner makes a bid, try to picture the hand. During the play of the hand don't count only the trump—try to visualize the entire hand, keeping track of each suit. You will be surprised, after just a little practice how easily this can be accomplished.

I thought the following hand presented an interesting play due to the fact that the declarer was able to count the hand down.

The Bidding

South bid one heart. West made a negative double, showing strength in spades. North bid two diamonds—this is a strength-showing bid after a double. East passed. South bid two hearts. West passed and North went to four hearts, which East wisely did not double.

The Play

At one table a club was opened by West. The declarer won with the queen and returned a diamond. West won with the ace and led a

♠ K-8-3	♥ Q-9-6	♦ K-Q-10-9-8	♣ A-5
♠ Q-9-7	♥ 5-2	♦ None	♣ A-4
♠ J-10-9	♥ 6-4-2	♦ 6-4-2	♣ 6-4-2
♠ A-10	♥ J-10-5	♦ J-7	♣ 5-2
♠ 4-2	♥ 4-2	♦ 5-2	♣ 8-3

small spade. This made it rather simple for the declarer to make his contract.

However, the interesting play came up at the table which opened the fourth best spade. East won with the ace and returned the ten of spades, which was won in dummy with the king.

Declarer led the ace of clubs, followed by a small club from dummy, and returned the six of diamonds, which West won with the ace. West immediately cashed the queen of spades, East discarding a diamond.

This discard of a diamond should show that East is in a position to ruff diamonds, or that he has nothing but diamonds and trump left. West returned the four of diamonds, which was won in dummy with the queen, and when East showed up with a diamond, the declarer could now read practically every card in the two hands.

The only chance the declarer now had to make his contract was to find West out of hearts, so the king of diamonds was led and the king of clubs discarded by the declarer. Of course when West does not trump, the five hearts are marked in the East hand.

The six of hearts was then played from dummy, East played low and declarer played the three. When the nine of hearts was led from dummy, East covered with the ten, declarer won with the king and then led a low heart to dummy's queen. A diamond was then played and East was forced to ruff. The declarer over-ruffed and picked up East's other trump.

POLICE SEIZE JUNK NEAR TAI-O.

CANNON, RIFLES AND DYNAMITE.

Po Chu Tam, near Tai-O was the scene of a thrilling capture by Number Two launch of the Hongkong Water Police fleet at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when a junk containing illicit opium, wine and tobacco and a large quantity of arms and ammunition was seized, and the master and 13 of his crew were arrested.

Number Two launch was doing her usual patrol duty near Tai-O, when a suspicious looking junk was sighted.

The police launch sped to investigate and as it approached, the junk's crew were observed to be throwing a quantity of the cargo overboard.

Dive Into Water.

The launch had barely reached the junk when two of the water police sailors dived into the water in an attempt to recover some of the abandoned goods. They succeeded in bringing several jars of prepared opium to the surface.

Led by Crown Sergeant Butcher, the police immediately boarded the junk and made a thorough search. They discovered several cannon, three old model German Mauser rifles, a musket, several hundred rounds of ammunition and a quantity of dynamite.

Raw and prepared opium, tobacco and wine were also found on board the junk.

In tow of the police launch, the junk was brought to Kowloon, arriving at 9 p.m. The arrested men were marched in a body to the Water Police Station.

Strange Procession.

A strange procession wound its way into the charge room. The master of the junk, securely handcuffed came first, accompanied by a sergeant carrying a quantity of goods seized from the junk. Behind, in single file, came 13 deeply bronzed, unkempt junk men.

Sergeant Butcher and some sailors carrying three rifles, a number of well-filled bandollers, and several sticks of dynamite, brought up the rear.

Police officials last night would give no information about the incident, but it was learned that a number of charges in respect of the opium, wine and tobacco were laid. Further charges, it is understood, are pending.

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DISCOVERY OF PLANT

A complete set of implements for printing tickets of the Kowloon Motor Bus Company, and 233 forged tickets, were found by the Mongkok Police when they raided the first floor of No. 321 Portland Street yesterday morning.

Charging a man named Yau Shui-man, at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning with being in possession of forged seals and dies with intention to defraud the Kowloon Motor Bus Company and with forging 233 tickets, Detective Sergeant Lamont stated that when he raided the premises, he found defendant and another man trying to escape by the back window. He sent several Chinese detectives to the rear to intercept them, but only the defendant was caught.

POLICE FIND.

In the rear cubicle of the house, the Police found a printing machine, several seals and dies, and some chops. Work on the forging of tickets was apparently being carried on at the time of the raid because the ink on the printing machine was still wet.

Mr. William Louey, General Manager of the Kowloon Motor Bus Company testified that the

THE FASHIONABLE EXCUSE

INSPECTOR'S CAUSTIC
COMMENT

Six months' hard labour was imposed by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning on Chan Yum, a returned banished.

Inspector Vincent explained that a month ago defendant was similarly charged but was discharged as the deportation warrant then was bad. He was rearrested and banished on a new warrant but returned almost immediately.

Defendant stated he came here to catch a boat and to get money. The last time he was sent to Kowloon; he now wished to go to Canton.

Inspector Vincent—It is the fashionable excuse now. If you want to get to anywhere you must come to Hongkong first.

Defendant pleaded he had no money.

Inspector Vincent—The Government sends him away. He does not need money.

The magistrate remarked defendant's excuse was weak.

Tickets seized by the Police resembled those of the Company except that the printing was somewhat blurred.

Defendant stated that he was employed by a man named Li Loi to cut up the paper into the size of ordinary tickets, but he did not know what they were for. He had been engaged in the work for about six days and had not been paid.

Detective-Sergeant Lamont explained that defendant was

MURDEROUS ATTACK ON AMAH

HOUSEBOY SHOWS
RESENTMENT

RESULT OF AN ARGUMENT

Resentment at being ordered about by the woman is held by the Police to have caused a Chinese houseboy in the employ of Mr. R. Kirkwood, engineer, at the Kowloon Telephone Exchange, to make a murderous attack, the night before last, on Tang Ying, a baby amah.

The amah received a skin wound in the fore-arm, and went into the Kowloon Hospital for treatment.

The houseboy absconded immediately after the attack.

According to a statement to the Police, the two engaged in a heated argument, after which, at 11.30 p.m., the houseboy went to the amah's quarters and made a sudden attack on her. The weapon used was an ordinary table knife. The Police are endeavouring to trace the whereabouts of the wanted boy.

formerly employed by the Bus Company as a conductor, but was discharged in February this year for fraud. He was found to have received money without giving tickets to passengers.

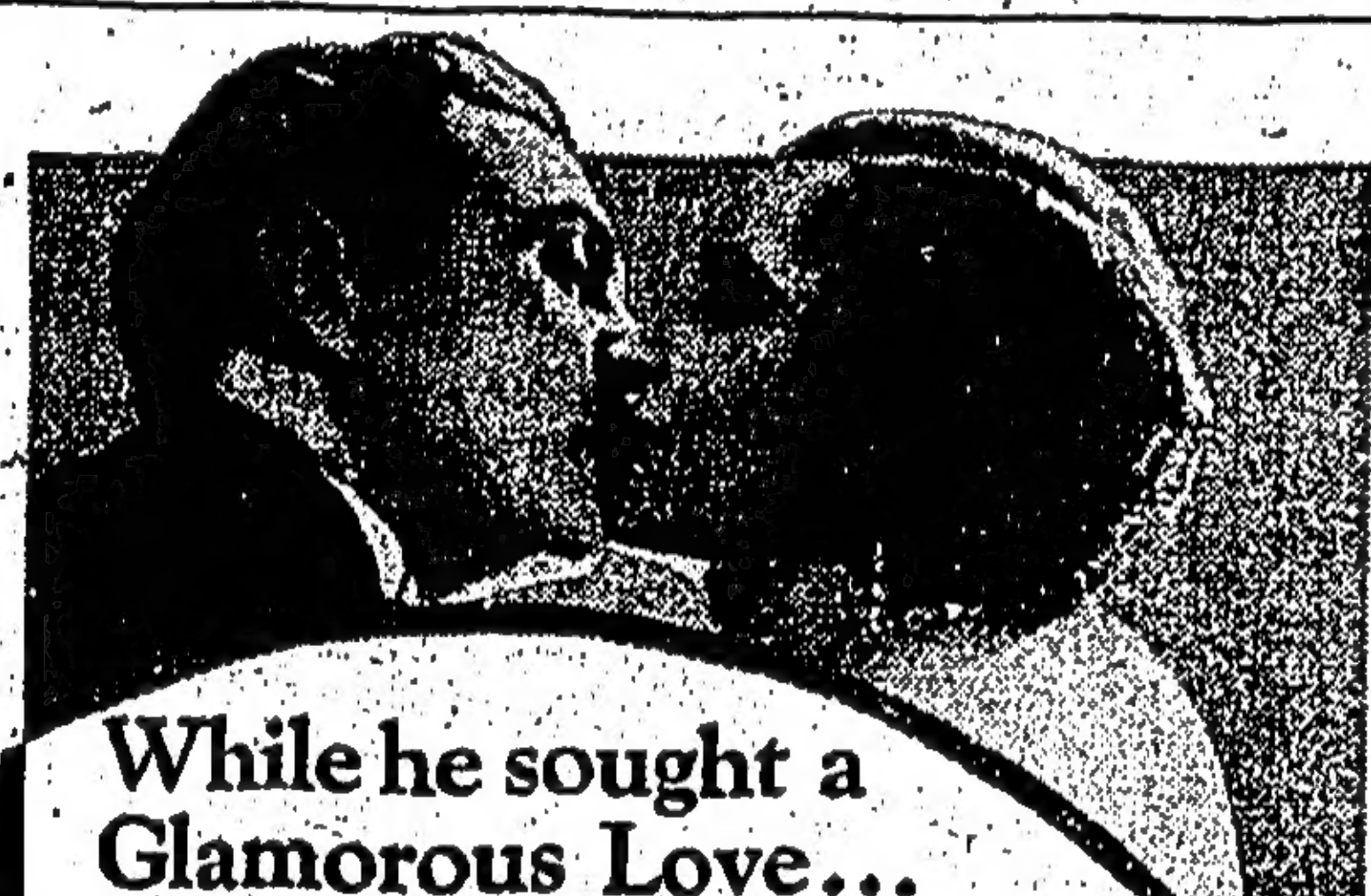
Sentence of six months on each of the two charges was passed, the terms to run consecutively.

SHOWING
TO-DAY
At 2.30,
5.10, 7.15 &
9.30 p.m.

KING'S THEATRE

BOOKING
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TEL. 25515,
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The Air-Conditioned Theatre



While he sought a
Glamorous Love...

his father sacrificed his honor and
fame as a doctor that this son
might carry on his work for humanity

Humanity

Ralph MORGAN Boots MALLORY
Alexander KIRKLAND Irene WARE

Story from
"The Road to Heaven"
by
Harry Fried
FOX
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Directed by
John Francis
Dillon

NEXT CHANGE
Commencing SATURDAY
22nd. JULY



ZOO IN BUDAPEST

Loretta YOUNG
Gene RAYMOND
O. P. HEGGIE

Story by
Melville Baker
and
Jack Kirkland

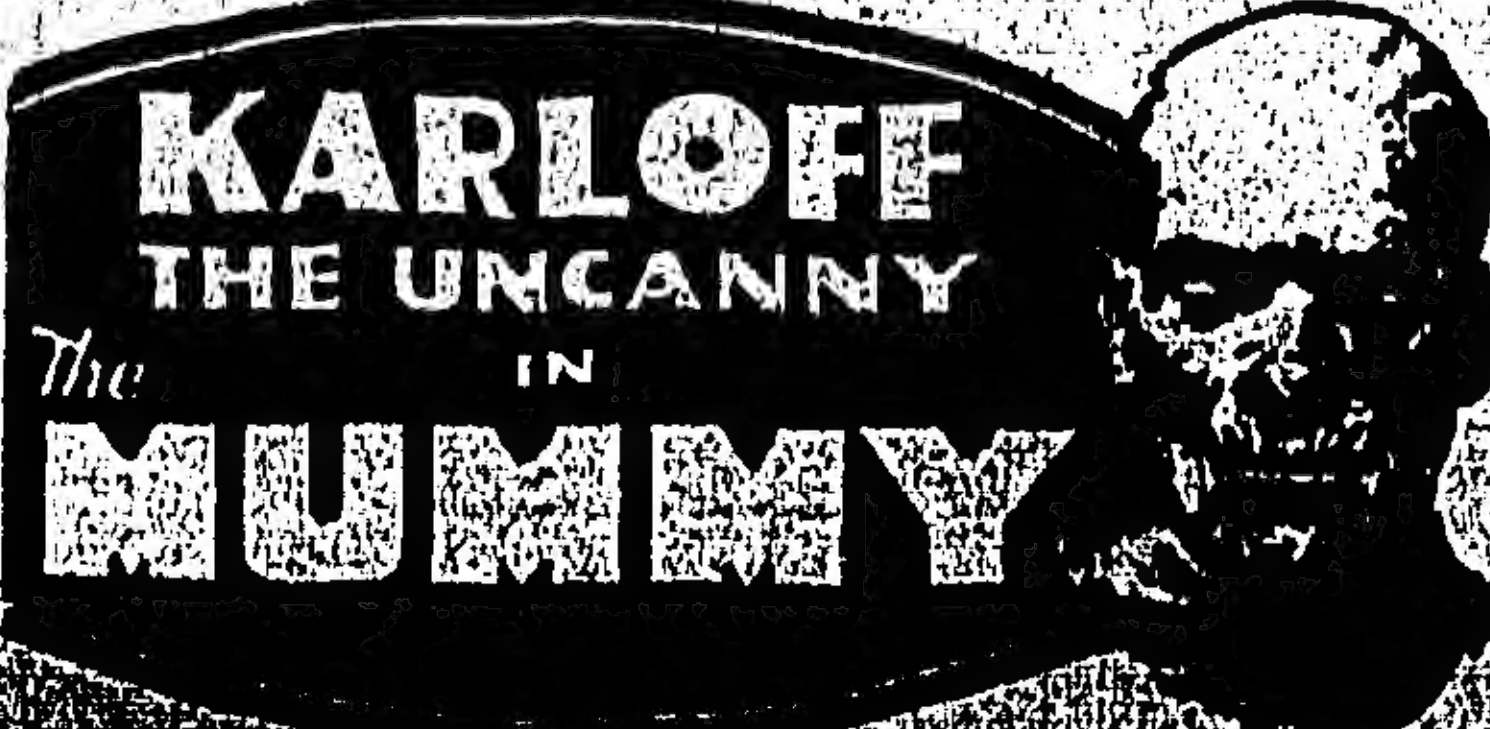
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4 SHOWS
DAILY
2.30-5.15
7.15-9.30

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WANCHAI
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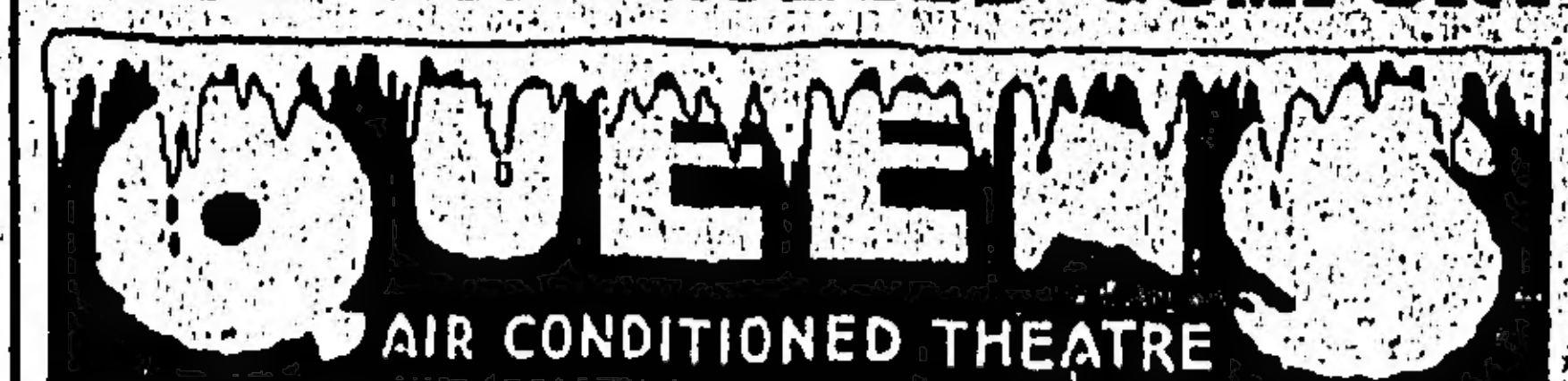


KARLOFF THE UNCANNY IN THE MUMMY

YOU'LL
HARDLY BELIEVE
WHAT YOUR
OWN EYES SEE!

YESTERDAY A MUMMY
— TO-DAY a living, breath-
ing fighting man, battling for
the love of his ventral virgin
of 8,000 years ago!

COOL CONTROLLED COMFORT



To-day to Saturday at 2.30 5.10, 7.15 & 9.20



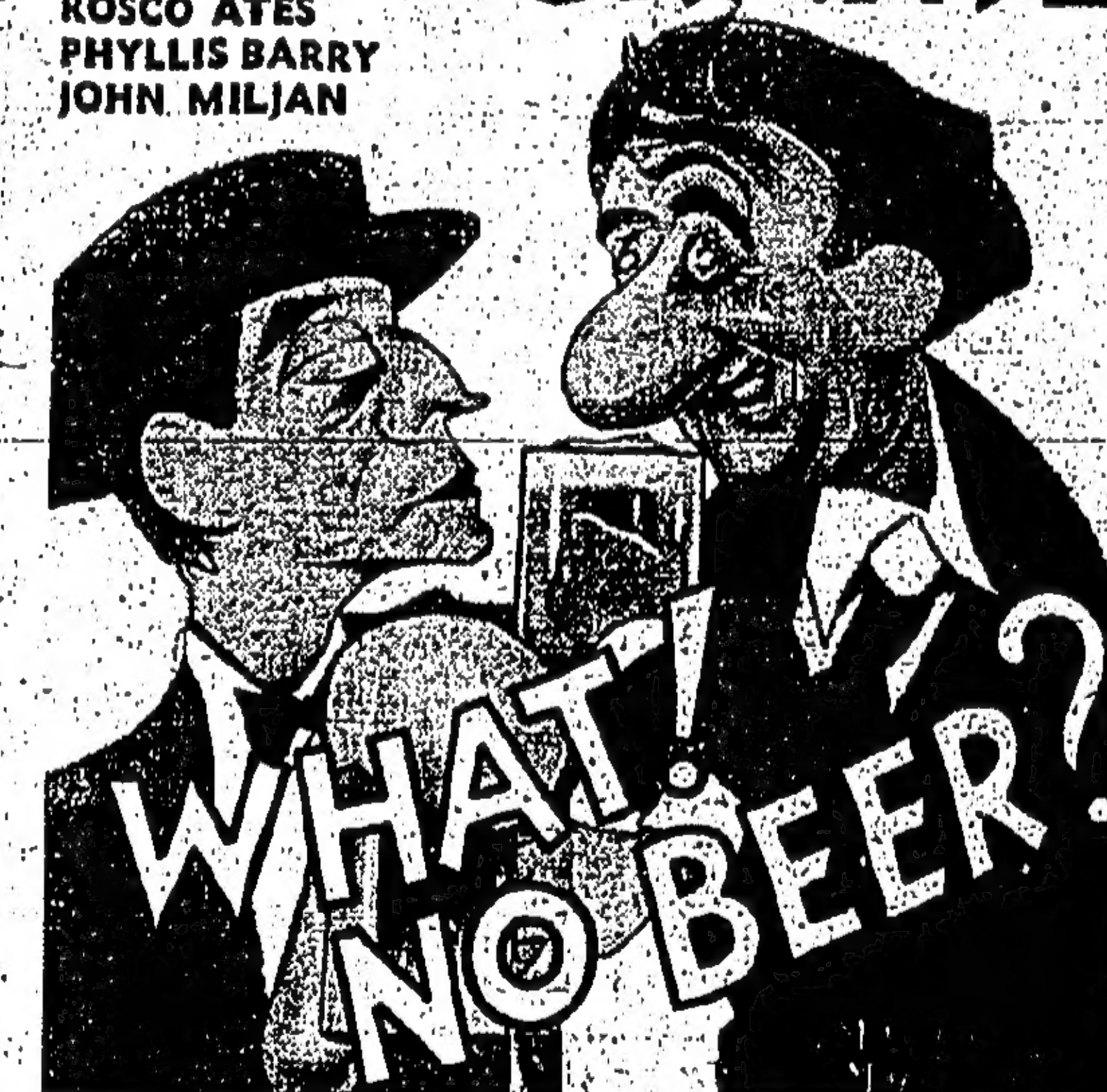
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FROM SUNDAY

BUSTER KEATON JIMMY DURANTE

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ROSCO ATEES
PHYLLIS BARRY
JOHN MILJAN



TO-DAY
ONLY

STAR

At 2.30 5.20,
7.20 & 9.20



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TOWN WITHOUT TAXES

BUT HAS MODERN
JAIL

In 1927 citizens chose Thomas
Nickles for Mayor and twice there-
after they re-elected him in the
annual balloting. Everybody voted
for him, so they concluded that the
elections served no purpose, and
abandoned them.

The municipality has a modern
jail but prisoners are few and far
between. Even when there are
prisoners, no expense is the town
incurs in the town hall simply
to keep the supplies from the town
hall.